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Noel Coward "On The Air" In Shanghai

SHANGHAI, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—Mr. Noel Coward, the famous playwright, went "on the air" in Shanghai last night, telling informally his experiences in Europe and America since the outbreak of war.

Mr. Coward has been engaged in propaganda work.

In an interview, Mr. Coward said that the Presidential elections were taking up more attention in U.S.A. at present than the European war, or in the evacuation of the Americans from the Far East. He forecasts President Roosevelt to be re-elected.

AT COUNTRY'S DISPOSAL

Questioned regarding the queries in the House of Commons as to why he was not fighting for his country, Mr. Coward said that it was all "slightly embarrassing." He placed himself at his country's disposal at the beginning of the war and it was unfortunate that at such critical times people could still indulge in this sort of thing.

Mr. Coward is going to Australia at the invitation of the Australian Government to give a series of lectures on behalf of the war effort.

JAPANESE TAKE JUNK CARGO

A junk master was robbed of about \$5,000 worth of cargo and his junk set on fire by Japanese operating near Hongkong, according to a report made to the Police by Fung Hin-kong, owner and master of trading junk No. 74815H.

The junk set sail from Aberdeen for Kwong-Hoi on Oct. 5 and the next day met a Japanese warship about two miles from Ching Lung Shan.

The crew of the junk were ordered to transfer the cargo, which included 30 piculs of salted fish, 30 tins of peanut oil, five bags of white beans, 16 rolls of cloth and 100 cases of matches, to the warship.

THAI AIR INVASION OF INDO-CHINA?

TOKYO, Nov. 2 (Reuter).—The Thai Legation here yesterday denied reports that 38 Thai planes had crossed the Indo-China border, stating a semi-official Japanese agency.

The reports were described as "entirely without foundation."

ANTONESCU FOR ROME

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—General Antonescu, accompanied by the Foreign Minister, M. Sturdza, will leave Bucharest for Rome on Nov. 13 at the invitation of the Italian Government, according to the German radio.

TODAY'S WAR SUMMARY

IT WAS OFFICIALLY REVEALED IN LONDON yesterday that British troops have landed in Greek territory. The Navy was there and air support was being given. Greece's war efforts are getting into stride and rapid completion of mobilisation has enabled large reinforcements to be sent to the frontier. Five Italian planes were shot down in engagements over Greece on Saturday and 15 airmen were captured.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AND MR. WENDELL WILLKIE made their final Presidential election campaign speeches on Saturday. There was a sensational conclusion to a meeting when an armed man approached the platform, from which Mr. Willkie was addressing the audience, in a threatening manner. The man was arrested by the Police and a revolver was found in his possession.

ACCORDING TO A REPORT IN A LONDON newspaper Hitler has sent a peace emissary to the United States in the person of a monk, Father Odo, who was formerly Duke Charles Alexander of Luxembourg. In an interview with the Father, Hitler is reported to have referred to M. Stalin as a "Bolshevist Beelzebub."

DURING RAIDS OVER BRITAIN ON SATURDAY, nine enemy machines were destroyed without any loss being sustained by the British fighters. Damage generally was on the light side but there were a few fatal casualties.



The Canadian interviewer, Ropney Pelletier, talking to two children sheltering in the children's section of the crypt of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, the "Church of the Empire" in Trafalgar Square, London, during a broadcast in the BBC's Overseas short-wave service. This broadcast from the crypt was part of a London "round-up" called "London Carries On" which was presented by Cecil Madden of the BBC during an actual bombing air-raid at midnight.

HITLER SENDS PEACE EMISSARY TO U.S. IN PERSON OF MONK

Alleged Reference To Stalin As "Bolshevist Beelzebub"

Herr Hitler has sent a peace emissary to America, according to a report in the Sunday Express, states a message from London last night.

The writer of the article is Mr. George Slocombe, the well-known political commentator, who declared that the German envoy is the former DUKE CHARLES ALEXANDER OF LUXEMBOURG who became a Catholic monk under the name of Father Odo.

Mr. Slocombe describes an interview which took place between Father Odo and Herr Hitler when the German Fuehrer discussed his proposal for a peace mission to America.

"This is your important task to the United States," Herr Hitler is reported to have told Father Odo. "You must persuade the Americans that I intend to liberate Europe from not only communism, but also from militarism. As I have begun a Totalitarian war, so I shall make a Totalitarian peace. Germany alone can protect civilisation."

STALIN ATTACKED

Mr. Slocombe states that Hitler also attacked Russia during this interview. The German Fuehrer said: "The blackest day of my life was the day I agreed to a pact with M. Stalin. But history will forgive me for that act when I drag Stalin in chains through Berlin." He referred to Stalin as a "Bolshevist Beelzebub."

Hitler is also reported to have said that when he finishes with England, he will march to the east and within three weeks would be in Moscow.

The German Duke-cum-priest is reported to have been most impressed with Hitler, whom he described as a great statesman and a super-man.

And so Father Odo is setting out on his mission, but it is not certain whether he has arrived in America as yet. According to Washington, there is no news of this reported peace move.

HISTORY OF ODO

Mr. Slocombe gives something of the history of Father Odo. Just before the outbreak of the '37 war, he visited London to get sympathisers for the persecuted German Catholics.

At that time, states Mr. Slocombe, he made no secret of his horror of the pagan philosophy of the Nazis. He was received by Queen Mary and managed to collect several thousands of pounds for his object.

He was won over to the Nazis, however, by a statement in which Hitler told him that he (Hitler) had never formally renounced the Catholic faith and was, in fact, a good Catholic!

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BRITISH FORCES LAND IN GREEK TERRITORY: MILITARY MISSION IN ATHENS: ITALIAN PLANES DOWNED

British help for Greece is now taking definite shape. Two important steps were announced in London yesterday, according to a message received last night.

British forces have landed in Greek territory and a British military mission, under Major-General Parry, of the Middle East Command, is now installed in Athens. Gen. Parry has already had consultations with the Greeks about the winter campaign.

News of the arrival of British troops was announced by MR. A. V. ALEXANDER, First Lord of the Admiralty, in London yesterday. Mr. Alexander said: "We shall honour our pledges to Greece. The navy is there, air support is being given and military objectives in Naples have already been bombed and now British troops have landed in Greek territory. What we can do, we will do."

BRITISH BOMBERS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE JOINED GREEK BOMBERS IN A RAID ON THE ALBANIAN CAPITAL, TIRANA.

Greek confidence was expressed in a statement which said that the war plans had been carried out in good time. The whole country was on a war-time footing in less than a week and rapid mobilisation plans had enabled the Greeks to send up reinforcements to the front.

There was little news of the actual fighting, but the Italians are still meeting stiff resistance from the Greeks. The American military expert, Major Fielding Elliott, confirmed this when he said yesterday that the Greeks were proving their military skill.

An example of this, he said, was that on Mt. Pindari, a height which commands strategic position, the Greeks had dragged up artillery during the night and at dawn opened fire on Italian motor columns. The Italians were taken by surprise.

DEEP CAVES

The Italians are expected to counter-attack in an attempt to dislodge the Greeks from this height, but deep caves on the sides give the Greeks natural shelter from heavy attacks.

In the centre, the Italians are again attacking and on the left the Italians have only penetrated 12 miles over the frontier and the Italians are not getting the easy walk-over they hoped in the air. They made a series of raids and dropped bombs at random. Five raiders were reported to have been shot down and fifteen airmen captured.

WORST OF RAIDS

Salonica had the worst of the raids and it is reported that 58 were killed and 140 injured, while 60 houses were wrecked, including the telephone exchange.

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The Swiss Consulate is to look after Greek interests in Rome and Hungary will do the same for the Italian in Athens.

NOT UNFAVOURABLE

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BELATED DECISION

NEW YORK, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—The main interest in the final week-end Presidential election campaign appears to be whether President Roosevelt's belated decision to include in the old-style stump tour instead of remaining detached in and around Washington, has been effective in stopping the slump. Willkie trend which has been worrying the Democrat Party.

FIRE DISASTER IN BONHAM STREET

Several thousand dollars worth of property was damaged by a fire which occurred yesterday afternoon at No. 129 Bonham Street.

The fire, which raged for more than an hour, started about 4.30 p.m. and was brought under control with difficulty by the Fire Brigade about 8 o'clock.

The house was used as a paper shop and the fire started in the kitchen.

No person was injured.

MONEY MARKET FEATURE

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—In the Money Market the outstanding feature of the week was the record application, amounting to £147.2 millions, for the £25,000,000 Treasury Bills offered.

The huge demand was attributed to the accumulation of funds at the disposal of the Empire, the central banks and other institutions.

The average rate at which the bills was allotted was £1.411d, which showed a fractional movement in favour of Government. Borrowers of overnight loans generally found supplies ample and at cheap rates.

Wall Street opened steady.

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 2 (Reuter).—The Mexican Department of Marine, it was announced yesterday, has drawn up plans for building fortifications and buying aircraft and warships. Total cost is estimated at \$250,000,000.

MILE-LONG FIRE BLAZING IN BERLIN AFTER R.A.F. RETURN FROM CONCENTRATED ATTACKS

LONDON, NOV. 3 (REUTER).—A FIRE NEARLY A MILE LONG WAS LEFT BLAZING IN BERLIN ON FRIDAY NIGHT AND WAS SEEN 150 MILES AWAY, THROUGH LAYERS OF CLOUDS, by R. A. F. crews returning after delivering two of the heaviest and most concentrated attacks the German capital has yet experienced.

Stations and rail communications, including three of the capital's main railway centres, were repeatedly hit and damaged by high explosive bombs of heavy calibre.

Incendiary bombs, falling among wreckage, started some of the greatest fires yet seen by British raiders over Germany.

The first raid—earlier than any yet made on Berlin—began shortly after 10 p.m. and lasted nearly two hours.

Despite ground mist over the city, Schlesischer Station, about a mile and a quarter from the centre of the city, and railway yards at Potsdamer and Adalther stations still nearer the centre of the city, were the two main objectives that were quickly located by parachute flares.

Many tons of high explosive and hundreds of incendiary bombs were dropped on Schlesischer station alone, and great fires were blazing in many parts of the station.

Potsdamer station met with a similar treatment and other targets successfully attacked by early raiders included Tiergarten railway station, a main line junction a mile-and-a-quarter north-east of the city, and goods yards at Brunsenstrasse and goods yards between Lietzstrasse and Lehrter railway stations.

Nearly four hours after the first attack ended, a second wave of raiders descended on Berlin, which for the next 40 minutes, stood to the noise of incessant explosions.

An attack was made in force on an important electricity supply stations at Klingenberg and a number of fires

One Italian bomber crashed in the main street of Salonika after it had been rammed by a Greek fighter pilot and two more raiders were shot down in Jannina.

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In the World of Sports

FAR VIEW FAILS EVEN TO PLACE IN THE FREEMANTLE ST. LEGER

Dividends Satisfactory: Boolat Bay's Upset Win Pays Punters \$106.40

THE COMPLETE FAILURE OF FAR VIEW TO SECURE EVEN A MINOR PLACING IN THE FREEMANTLE ST. LEGER, after it was fully expected to give the winner, Sapper, a good run, was the most outstanding feature of the Tenth Extra Race Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club on Saturday.

In spite of the overcast weather there was a fairly large attendance. His Excellency the Acting Governor, Lieut.-General E. F. Norton, arrived in time to see Sapper's comfortable win in the most important race of the day.

Dividends on the whole were satisfactory as favourites did not have everything their way. The highest dividend of the day was paid by Boolat Bay in the Norfolk Handicap, second section, when it paid each of its 228 backers \$106.40; the highest "place" dividend of \$63.50 was returned by Dick Turpin in the Queenscliff Handicap.

The "Double" pool realised \$13,181 and the 103 punters who backed the Confusion Bay-Boolat Bay combination each received \$127.80.

Mr. L. B. Chao was the leading jockey with two wins and two seconds in five starts, and Mr. S. W. Pan was second with one first, one second, and one third in four starts.

Results follow—

RACE ONE

Kentucky made sure of this race by taking the lead from the start, followed by Advancing Time and Rose Queen.

When nearing the Rock, Rose Queen began to tire and, on coming into the straight, faded out. Strathannock made a strong challenge, but could only secure third position when the winning post was reached, one length behind Advancing Time which, in turn, was five lengths behind Kentucky.

Rose Evelyn was fourth.

RACE TWO

The red-hot favourite, Conquering Time, was lucky to secure the major prize as the somewhat neglected Lilliber, after a magnificent start when near the public stands, was only beaten by a short head.

The winner led all the way closely followed by Ronson and Avon. Rounding the bend to the straight Avon was closed in but kept running strongly.

When opposite the stands Lilliber came up strongly from the outside and overhauled Avon and Ronson.

Conquering Time was first, Lilliber second, Ronson third, and the second favourite, Avon, fourth.

RACE THREE

There was never any doubt of this race going to Sapper, for from the rise of the barrier, it was three or four lengths in front of Australian Diamond with the second favourite, Far View, another length behind, and Amicus riae lying behind.

On passing the Rock the second time Far View was passed by Diamond's entry with Amicus Curiae and Viceroy coming up strongly.

When the straight was reached, Far View and Australian Diamond faded out of the running.

Sapper roared home the winner three lengths in front of Amicus Curiae with Viceroy another four lengths behind. Australian Diamond was a poor fourth.

RACE FOUR

Centre Court took the lead right from the start, trailed by Ruby Star and Amber II with Warrego River at the end of the string.

Passing the stands the first time Piccadilly Jim wrested second place from Ruby Star with Centre Court still about two lengths in front. On passing the Rock the second time Warrego River overhauled Ruby Star.

Coming into the straight Piccadilly Jim drew level with the leader, passing it just when the winning post was reached.

Warrego River, the favourite, was third, six lengths behind Centre Court, and Ruby Star fourth.

RACE FIVE

At Sookumpoo, Army 2nd XI beat the H.K. Cricket Club 2nd XI by 6 wickets.

Army—97 for 4 wickets. (Pte. Bateman 39 not out, Major Sayer 21 not out).

H.K.C.C. 2nd XI—N. D. Booker 17, Hatfield 5 for 22.

RACE SIX

The Diocesan Boys' School scout troop was defeated by the school XI by a wide margin of 109 runs, in a friendly match.

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RACE SEVEN

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R.A.O.C. 135 (Stoher 71, Hasloids 21, Dixon 6 for 48).

Royal Signals: 88 for 8 wickets. (Blount 29, Stariand 27, Haskins 7 for 59).

RACE EIGHT

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Bowlers: 89 (E. Seddon 29, P. D. Crawley 20 not out, J. Bendall 13 for 13, H. P. Cunningham 3 for 2, J. Haynes 1 for 8).

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RAKUSEN WINS BOWLS FINAL

M. N. Rakusen, of Civil Service Cricket Club, won the Colony Bowls Championship on Saturday by virtue of a comfortable win by 22 shots to 8 over M. R. Abbas, Indian Recreation Club skip. The game, played at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, finished at the 18th end.

Neither player appeared at his best, and deplorable weather conditions contributed to taking the spectacular out of the game. Abbas, in the early stages, tended always to be short, and at no stage looked a winner.

Rakusen, who played a cautious game, seemed for the most part content to lay handy rather than on the jack. He drew some very good shots in the course of the afternoon, and on the day's showing thoroughly deserved to win.

THE CARD

Head	Shots	Total	M. R. Abbas	Shots	Total
1	2	2	0	0	0
2	2	4	0	0	0
3	3	7	0	0	0
4	1	8	0	0	0
5	3	11	0	0	0
6	0	11	2	2	2
7	1	12	0	2	2
8	2	14	0	2	2
9	0	14	1	3	3
10	0	14	2	5	5
11	1	15	0	5	5
12	0	15	3	8	8
13	1	16	0	8	8
14	1	17	0	8	8
15	2	19	0	8	8
16	3	22	0	8	8

There were 111 entries in this year's Open.

CRICKET

H.K.C.C.—C.S.C.C. DRAW

The results of Saturday's cricket matches were as follows:—

At Chater Road, the Hongkong Cricket Club drew with the Civil Service C. C. by three wickets.

C.C.C. DEFEATED

At Pokfulam, the H. K. University beat the C.C.C. by 3 wickets.

H. K. U. 150 for 6 wickets. (N. Matthews 65, and Honk Chov 29 not out).

C. C. C. 99 (Souza 72, Mahmood 6 for 34).

POLICE 4 WICKETS DOWN

At Happy Valley, C.S.C.C. 2nd XI beat the Police R. C. by 4 wickets.

C.S.C.C. 150 for 5 wickets. (A. Watson 25, G. P. Stone 49, Davidson 34 not out, Lewis 4 for 38).

Police R. C. 80—(A. Kirby 21, Ainale 5 for 16, MacGowan 3 for 5).

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CRUISER SERIES YACHTING CHAMPIONSHIP

The following were the results of 1st cruiser series championship of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club sailed yesterday:—

DIVISION I

Finished	Corr.	Pts.
Oresund	14.38.20	14.24.25
(Mr. K. Neckelman)		
Donna	14.41.43	14.28.38
(Capt. A. O. C. Mills)		
Red Rover	15.05.31	14.32.58
(Capt. R. W. Bateman)		
Facigale	14.35.36	14.35.36
(Mr. N. V. Croucher)		
Yehonala	15.00.01	14.38.59
(Mr. H. F. Phillips)		
Norena	14.45.35	14.45.35
(Mr. P. C. M. Sedgwick)		
Calavant	D.N.F.	

DIVISION II

Finished	Corr.	Pts.
Tyrone	16.03.33	14.38.15
(Mr. B. Herschend)		
Cormorant	15.51.44	14.38.53
(Major J. L. Willcocks)		
Evolve	15.44.09	14.42.10
(Major C. E. Neve)		
U and I	15.35.14	14.43.27
(Mr. J. B. Collis)		
Westwind	16.01.41	14.47.21
(Mr. C. C. Wood)		
Tolo	D.N.F.	

4 TONNERS

Finished	Corr.	Pts.
Curlew	15.44.53	14.33.02
(Mr. P. Clarke)		
Typhoon	15.50.47	14.37.42
(Mr. D. Campbell)		
Cutty	15.54.34	14.40.12
(Mr. H. Fol)		
Tern	15.43.14	14.40.18
(Mr. J. L. Anderson)		
Sailong	16.00.19	14.50.44
(Mr. A. M. Mack)		
Monsoon	16.08.37	14.51.49
(Major Trevor)		
Treenaur	16.18.38	14.56.35
(Major C. V. Temple)		
Penguin	16.38.59	15.14.17
(Mr. J. Forbes)		

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

Royal Hongkong Yacht Club's Commodore Cup series championship race over 9.7 miles on Saturday resulted as follows:—

"A" Class		Corrected Pts
Guri	(Mr. S. K. Heiberg).	16.37.03 17
Joss	(Major G. E. Neve).	16.37.40 15
True Blue	(Mr. A. St. G. Walton).	16.38.03 13
Mixed Class		
Owl	(Mr. G. L. Eastgate).	16.52.44 10
Wendy	(Mr. H. W. Browne).	16.52.57 8
Zephyr		16.55.02 3 6

SATURDAY'S HOCKEY

RECREIO DEFEATED

The Central British Association Ladies defeated the Club de Recreio by 6 goals to 1 in a friendly hockey match played at King's Park on Saturday. The winners led by three goals at the interval.

C.B.A.—Miss N. Witchell and Miss P. Woolley; Miss M. Osmund (Recreio) and Mrs. I. Joyce; Mrs. J. Crawford, Miss E. Woolley and Miss M. Fordham.

RECREIO DEFEATED

Recreio—Miss M. Ribeiro and Miss B. Britto; Miss V. Carvalho and Miss M. Silva; Miss L. Rodrigues, Miss M. Rosa, Miss M. Campos, Miss A. Alves and Miss C. Remedios.

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SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL

EASTERN AND SOUTH CHINA DRAW 2-2

There was another big crowd on Saturday at Caroline Hill to witness the Chinese soccer "derby" between South China and Eastern. A fine exhibition of soccer was seen and the result of two goals all is fair indication of the trend of the game.

Both sides favoured the long passing game and the ball was constantly being transferred from one end to another.

The champions missed a golden opportunity when, with the score at 2-0, Lee Shek-yau failed to score from the "spot kick," awarded for hands.

Both teams were equally as strong in attack as in the intermediate line but Eastern had a better pair of backs in Kong Sing-king and S. Y. Yen than Tsang Chung-wan and Lee Kwok-wai, the latter was off-form and miss-kicking twice.

South China's strongest department was in their first line of defence where Tse Kam-hung was a constant stumbling block to the Eastern's right wing combination. Hsu King-sing, Eastern's pivot, was content for the greater part of the game to lie far back with the defence and marked Chan Tak-fai closely throughout.

There was little to choose between the two forward lines though Eastern's attack nearly always looked more dangerous. Lee Wal-tong's absence was keenly felt and perhaps this fact robbed much of the sting out of the champions' attack.

South China was the first to attack and, shortly after the start, Lee Shek-yau converted a penalty awarded for handling. This, however, was shortlived and Eastern, attacking from the kick-off equalised through V. K. Hyul.

Play was very even with each side taking up the attack in turn. Woo Chi-sang taking up a pass beat several defenders before passing the ball to Hau Ching-to who netted to give Eastern the lead. Before the interval Chow Man-chi again equalised with a long range shot.

In the second half the pace slackened somewhat and though both sides tried hard neither could add further goals to the score.

SOUTH CHINA: Tam Kwan-kon; Tsang Chung-wan, Lee Kwok-wai; Lau Hing-chol, Lam Tak-po, Tse Kam-hung; Lau Chung-sang, Lee Tak-kee, Chan Tak-fai, Chow Man-chi and Lee Shek-yau.

EASTERN: Lau Hin-hon; Kong Sing-king, S. Y. Yen; S. C. Liu, Hsu King-sing, Lo Wal-kuen; Chung Yung-sum, Woo Chi-sang, V. K. Hyul, C. T. Tsoa and Hau Ching-to.

CLUB BEAT POLICE

Club registered their second victory when they beat Police by the convincing margin of four goals to nil.

Club played one of their best games so far and all ways had the upper hand on the custodians of the law. Odell was safe in goal while S. Strange again turned in a good performance at back. Riersen and Bickford was a very dangerous combination and was the main source of danger of Club attack.

Hopkinson opened the scoring and after the resumption further goals were scored by Fowler (2) and Bickford.

N'SEX TOO GOOD

Despite the great fight put up by their defence Kowloon went down to Middlesex by three clear goals.

Williamson was the mainstay of the team and was ably supported by Maxwell and Eastman. This trio worked like trojans to check the "Diehards" attack.

Although many changes were made Middlesex attack showed good combination and was a delight to watch. Coomer and Marable being two very useful wingers. Middlesex netted in the early stages of the game and did not add the other two until within ten minutes of the finish. Coomer (2) and Marable were the scorers.

KOWLOON: Lapsley; Lamb, Ulrich; Maxwell, Williamson, Eastman; Truscott, Elsiey, Blake, Jackson and White.

MIDDLESEX: Jackson; Freshwater, Parker; Thomas, Bright, Wilkinson; Coomer, Pearson, Sheehan, Saw and Marable.

Results of other league matches were as follows:—

SECOND DIVISION

South China 2, 30th R.A. 2.
Kowloon 1, Middlesex 9.
Club 3, Police 2.

THIRD DIVISION

International 2, R.A.M.C. 3.
Shell 1, 20th R.A. 5.
7th R.A. 5, R.A.S.C. 2.
R. Engineers 6, 12th R.A. 1.
Signals 0, 24th R.A. 0.

LEAGUE TABLES TO DATE

FIRST DIVISION

Goals	P.W.	D.	L.F.	A.Pts.	
South China	6	5	1	0	17
Eastern	7	4	2	1	22
Middlesex	6	3	1	2	15
Royal Navy	7	2	3	2	25
Royal Scots	6	2	1	3	14
Kowloon	5	1	2	2	10
Club	6	2	0	3	14
St. Joseph's	5	1	1	3	9
Police	6	1	1	4	16
Kwong Wah	6	0	2	4	21

SECOND DIVISION

Goals	P.W.	D.	L.F.	A.Pts.	
R.A.S.C.	6	5	1	0	17
R.R.	6	5	1	0	22
Middlesex	7	4	2	1	22
South China	7	3	3	1	19
Royal Navy	5	4	0	1	19
R.A.O.C.	6	3	2	1	12
Royal Scots	7	4	1	2	24
Sing Tao	6	2	2	1	12
KH Chee	6	3	0	3	24
30th R.A.	7	2	3	1	24
Kwong Wah	5	1	0	4	13
Club	8	1	0	5	25
Kowloon	7	0	7	4	10
Police	7	0	7	5	20

THIRD DIVISION

Goals	P.W.	D.	L.F.	A.Pts.	
R.A.P.	6	6	0	0	20
Signals	7	4	2	1	10
Internat	6	4	1	2	9
7th R.A.	7	4	1	2	11
24th R.A.	7	3	2	1	7
R.A.M.C.	7	4	0	3	12
36th R.A.	6	3	1	2	6
R.E.	7	3	1	3	16
12th R.A.	7	2	2	1	12
20th R.A.	6	2	1	3	15
35th R.A.	5	1	2	2	12
R.A.S.C.	7	1	1	5	23
Shell	7	0	2	5	27
A.S.A.	5	0	0	5	20

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Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 7th November, 1940.

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Secretary.

RACE THREE

There was never any doubt of this race going to Sapper, for from the rise of the barrier, it was three or four lengths in front of Australian Diamond with the second favourite, Far View, another length behind, and Amicus riae lying behind.

On passing the Rock the second time Far View was passed by Diamond's entry with Amicus Curiae and Viceroy coming up strongly.

When the straight was reached, Far View and Australian Diamond faded out of the running.

Sapper roared home the winner three lengths in front of Amicus Curiae with Viceroy another four lengths behind. Australian Diamond was a poor fourth.

RACE FOUR

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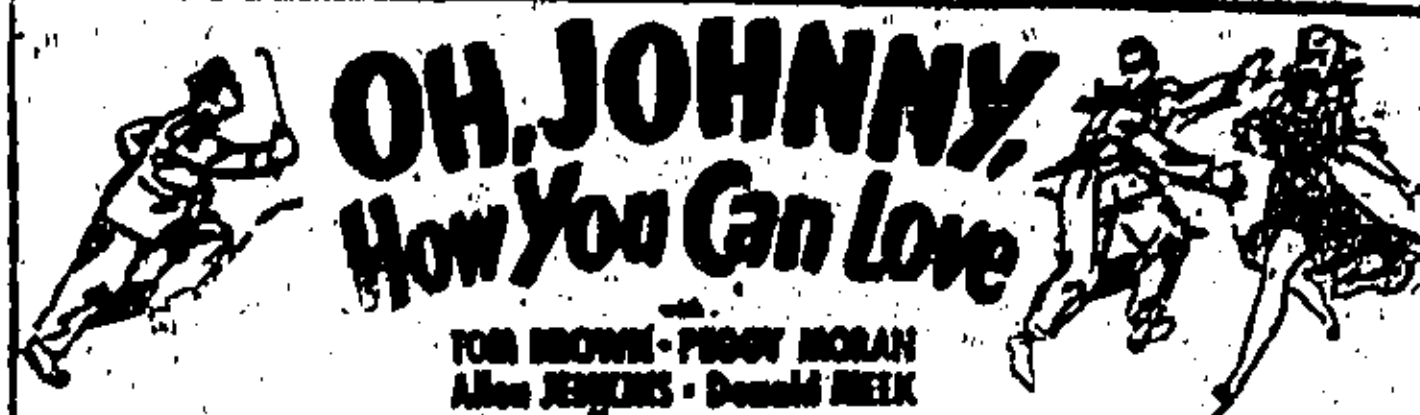
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INDIA'S AIR TRAINING PLAN

The Government of India is preparing an air training scheme, it was announced in New Delhi yesterday. The scheme will train 300 pilots and 3,000 mechanics each year for two years.

JAPANESE CAOLED

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter)—The Japanese arrested in Singapore on a charge of obtaining information on military and aircraft movements was yesterday sentenced to two months' imprisonment and recommended for deportation.

MALTA DONATES SPITFIRES

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter)—Malta has contributed £12,000 for two Spitfires, it was announced in London yesterday.

The people of Pretoria have sent £2,500 to the London Air Raid Relief Fund.

HEALTH RETURNS

Three cases of cholera, four of dysentery, one each of enteric fever and cerebro-spinal meningitis and 34 of tuberculosis were notified to the local Health authorities on Friday.

COMING EVENTS

NOV.

4-Tides: High 1.32 p.m. and 11.48 p.m. Low 6.25 a.m. and 5.13 p.m. Sunrise: 6.29 a.m.; Sunset: 5.44 p.m.
Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.
Cigar Shop, Ltd., Meeting of Creditors, 13 noon (Wilkinson & Grist).
Meeting at Peninsula Hotel, address by Dean J. L. Wilson, 5.45 p.m.

Crown Land Sale, P.W.D., 3 p.m.
St. Andrew's Fellowship of Youth, 6.15 p.m.—Speaker: Rev. Frank Short.
Meeting of all members to discuss side-shows for St. Andrew's Garden Party on Nov. 30, 8.30 p.m.
St. Andrew's Working Party (Medical), 10 a.m.

5-Tides: High 2.45 p.m. Low 7.20 a.m. and 5.45 p.m.
Sunrise: 6.30 a.m.; Sunset: 5.44 p.m.

Licensing Board Meeting, Council Chamber, 4 p.m.
H.K. Rotary Club Tiffin Meeting, 1 p.m. (closed Meeting).

Kowloon Chess Club Junior Championships.
Claims against estate of David Brown due.

Cheero Club Whist Drive, 8.30 p.m.

6-Tides: High 12.28 a.m. and 4.05 p.m. Low 8.22 a.m. and 6.24 p.m. Sunrise: 6.31 a.m.; Sunset: 5.43 p.m.
Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.
Cheero Club Dance, 8.30 p.m.

7-Tides: High 1.28 a.m. and 5.24 p.m. Low 9.30 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunrise: 6.31 a.m.; Sunset: 5.43 p.m.

Kowloon Chess Club Senior Championships.
H.K. Y's Men's Club Tiffin Meeting, 1 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. Variety Entertainment in aid of B.W.O.F.

Cheero Club, Bridge and Mahjong class for beginners, 8 p.m.

8-Tides: High 3 a.m. and 6.20 p.m. Low 10.30 a.m. and 10.40 p.m. Sunrise: 6.32 a.m.; Sunset: 5.43 p.m.

H.K. Chamber Music Club, Concert at Government House, 9.15 p.m.

Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.

Dance at H.K. Hotel in aid of B.W.O.F.

H.E. the Acting Governor to visit School for the Deaf, at 43, Kalyan Road, Kowloon.

H.K. Badminton Assn. Annual Meeting, 6 p.m.

Cheero Club, Darts and Table Tennis.

9-Tides: High 4.35 a.m. and 6.52 p.m. Low 11.22 a.m. Sunrise: 6.32 a.m.; Sunset: 5.42 p.m.

Cathedral Fete.

La Salle College Old Boys' Assn. Reunion Dinner, Cafe Wiseman, 8 p.m.

H.K. Students' Relief Assn. Cabaret Dance, Peninsula Hotel, 9 p.m.

10-Tides: High 5.51 a.m. and 7.20 p.m. Low 12.05 a.m. and 12.05 p.m. Sunrise: 6.33 a.m.; Sunset: 5.42 p.m.

H.K. Golf Club, Jasper Clark Cup.

Lecture on Religious Education, Chinese Y.M.C.A., Kowloon, Macao Races.

Claims against estate of Jean Dupuis due.

11-Tides: High 6.56 a.m. and 7.43 p.m. Low 12.58 a.m. and 12.42 p.m. Sunrise: 6.34 a.m.; Sunset: 5.42 p.m.

Remembrance Day.

Charity Soccer Match.

Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.

12-Tides: High 7.50 a.m. and 8.04 p.m. Low 1.40 a.m. and 1.19 p.m. Sunrise: 6.34 a.m.; Sunset: 5.41 p.m.

Kowloon Chess Club Junior Championships.

H.K. Rotary Club Tiffin Meeting, 1 p.m.

POLICE REPORTS

Mr. Lodge, of No. 15, Gap Road, has reported the loss of his Morris saloon car, valued at \$800, on Nov. 21.

Eight sacks of grain is reported to have been stolen from No. 519, Sam Ming Street, Shamshulpo, sometime between Oct. 10 and Nov. 2. The grain is valued at \$800.

Mr. G. Lee, of No. 105, Austin Road, reports that a Chinese by the name of Au, who had been temporary left in charge of the house, had absconded with all the furniture in the house valued at \$200.

Cpl. Jack, of the Royal Scots, reports the loss of a quantity of army clothing between Aberdeen and Mount Austin Barracks.

The theft of motor tyres from lorry No. 4608, which was parked outside No. 40, Southern Street on Saturday, has been reported to the Police by the driver of the vehicle, Mak Kau.

Mr. J. Revie, of Kowloon Docks, was at about 11.50 a.m. on Friday, robbed by a Chinese of a fountain pen, valued at \$35, which was snatched from his pocket in Queen's Road Central near the China Building.

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1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 Piano Duets by Rawicz and Landauer.

Parade of the Tin Soldiers (Jessel); Nola (Arndt). Three Waldfuehl Waltzes; Cardas (Monti).

1.15 Gino Bordin and His Hawaiians.

Midnight Waltz (Amodio). Tears of Love (Bordin-Alton); Hawaiian Berceuse (Bordin). Waltzes—Flowery Path (Bordin); Night in the Desert (Bordin).

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Florence Desmond in Humorous Variety.

Impersonations—A Hollywood Bridge Game—Florence Desmond. Vocal—About Cruises (Crick and Others); Art (Crick and Others)—Murgatroyd and Winterbottom. Comedian—Ophelia; Down in the Valley—Max Miller with Orchestra. Talking—A British Mother's Big Flight (Streamline)—A. P. Herbert—Florence Desmond. Comedienne—Bluebeard—A Bed-Time Story (Wynne); An Embankment Impression (Wynne)—Wish Wynne.

2.15 Close down.

6.00 Closing local Stock Quotations.

6.02 Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—Cling to Me; Slow Fox-Trot—With All My Heart (from 'Her Master's Voice')—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Alone (film 'A Night at the Opera'); Benny Meeny Miney Mo (film 'To Beat the Band')—Joe Venuti and His Orchestra.

Tango—This Is the Kiss of Romance; Waltz—Love in Your Eyes—Eugene Pini and His Tango Orch. Fox-Trot—'I'm Shooting High (film 'King of Burlesque'); Lights Out—Little Jack Little and His Orchestra. Quickstep—We're Friends Again; Waltz—What a Night—Victor Silvester and His Ballroom Orch. Fox-Trot—Love's Serenade; Moonspun Dreams—Mantovani and His Tipica Orch. Slow Fox-Trot—Gypsy Violin; Tango—Caramba—Mantovani and His Tipica Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Where am I? (from 'Stars over Broadway')—Little Jack Little and His Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Do the Runaround (film 'She shall have Music'); She Shall Have Music (from the film)—Jack Hylton and His Orchestra. Waltz—The Family Album (from 'To-night at 8.30'); Fox-Trot—You Were There (from 'To-night at 8.30')—The Phoenix Theatre Orchestra, London.

7.00 London Relay—The News.

7.15 London Relay—Typical Talks.

7.30 Sea Shanties.

Johnny Come Down to Hilo; The Hog's Eye Man; We're All Bound to Go (arr. Terry)—Raymond Newell and Chorus. One More Day; On The Banks of Sacramento (arr. Harris)—John Goss and Cathedral Male Voice Quartet.

7.40 Max Miller and Elsie and Doris Waters.

Darts, with Gert and Daisy (Waters); At the Court of Good Queen Bess (Waters and Elsie)—Elsie and Doris Waters with Orchestra.

Confessions of a Cheeky Chappy

They are—

Acting Assistant Section Officer Elizabeth Candlish Henderson, daughter of Robert Candlish Henderson, Scottish King's Counsel;

Sergeant Joan Eugene Mortimer.

Sergeant Helen Emily Turner.

In civil life the latter two women were, respectively, political organizer and telegraphist.

LONDON, Nov. 2 (Reuter)—The little island of Perim, commanding the entrance to the Red Sea, has been bombed for the first time by Italian aircraft, an official communique reveals. Some damage was done.

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INEUNU DEFINES TURKEY'S POLICY

To Maintain Territorial Integrity At All Costs

ANKARA, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—"Turkey's attitude of non-belligerency should not be an obstacle to the maintenance of normal relations with all countries which show the same measure of goodwill towards us," declared the President, General Ismet Ineunu, speaking at the opening of the Turkish National Assembly in Ankara yesterday.

"This attitude makes absolutely impossible, with no exception whatsoever, the use of our territory or seas or skies by the belligerents, and will continue to make such use categorically and absolutely impossible as long as we take no part in the war."

General Ineunu emphasised that no change had taken place in the policy which he explained after opening the previous session.

He added: "Our neighbour and friend, Greece, has unfortunately been dragged into the war. Together with our ally, Great Britain, we are studying the situation which has arisen."

"At a time when England is carrying on under difficulties her heroic struggle for her very existence, it is our duty to reaffirm our friendship and alliance."

RETROGRESSION OF CIVILISATION

General Ineunu said that the attacks against Britain following the defeat of France had met with obstinate resistance and this fact led the war into a new phase.

It seemed likely this phase would be of long duration and that the suffering and misery of mankind would continue for a long time to come.

"It is impossible not to be deeply moved by this dark prospect, nor to note with great sorrow and pain this retrogression of civilisation."

General Ineunu emphasised that Turkish policy was based on the maintenance of their political independence and territorial integrity and had nothing to do with the "ambitious aims that hold sway according to the development of events."

POSITION CLEAR

Turkey did not covet an inch of territory beyond her own frontiers and it had no intention of trespassing on anyone's rights.

"Foreign countries can have no reason to take offence at our policy nor blame us for our endeavours to safeguard our rights," he asserted.

Referring to Greece, General Ineunu said: "Our neighbour and friend, Greece, whose territory lies in that zone of security and tranquillity which is of importance to Turkey, unfortunately finds herself dragged into the war."

"Together with our ally, Great Britain, we are studying and envisaging the situation."

"We hope that the political principle which I earlier stated and which has kept our country out of the horrors of war will in the same manner maintain our security in the future."

FRIENDLY RELATIONS

General Ineunu referred to Russo-Turkish friendly relations as a factor of intrinsic value amidst the vicissitudes of the world.

He added: "Our two countries mean to perpetuate this fact independent of all other influences."

"We are convinced this policy will be as fruitful for both parties tomorrow as it was yesterday and will serve the interests of the two countries without harming anyone."

"It is possible, even probable, that there lies before us a long period of suffering for humanity. During this period, while remaining sensitive to all that affects our vital interests, we shall continue to be faithful to our friendship and alliances."

BONDS UNBREAKABLE

"At a time when Britain is carrying on under difficult conditions a heroic struggle for its very existence, it is my duty to proclaim that the bonds of alliance which unite us to her are solid and unbreakable."

General Ineunu, after referring to the strengthening of the Turkish army and the praiseworthy self-sacrifice of the people, gave an assurance that "The honour of the Turkish Republic is fully capable of carrying out those tasks which it may be called upon to perform."

AIR SUPERIORITY EARLY NEXT YEAR

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—Mr. David Grenfell, Minister for Mines, declared in a speech yesterday that thanks to United States' help Britain very early next year, would be stronger than Germany in the air.

ATHENS HAS FIRST AIR RAID

ATHENS, Nov. 2 (Reuter).—Athens had its first air raid on Friday.

The first alert was sounded at 10.40 a.m. and lasted half an hour. Five Italian planes were seen circling the western part of the city followed by white puffs of bursting A.A. shells.

Another alert was sounded at 11.50 a.m. but it is not yet known whether any bombs were dropped. The second alarm also lasted half an hour and A.A. fire was again heard.

SALONIKA BOMBED

Forty civilians were killed and 80 wounded in an Italian air raid on Salonika on Saturday, while 22 fires were caused. The raiders came in three waves.

At Corfu five were killed and 26 wounded, many of the casualties occurring in the public square in the centre of the town, far away from any military objectives.

Larissa, an important communications centre, was bombed at noon by nine planes which dropped 32 bombs, killing one soldier and four civilians and injuring two soldiers and one gendarme.

Italian planes which bombed Thessalonika were brought down by Greek fighters.

ITALIANS HELD UP BY GREEKS

Crack Greek troops—the famous white-kilted Evzones—are fighting picked Italian Alpine regiments for the key position in the rugged mountainous country road to Florina.

The Italians appear to have made little progress.

According to Yugoslav observers at Stenje, near the confluence of the Yugoslav-Greek-Albanian frontiers, the Italian objective is to force the eastern gap in the Peristeri chain of mountains in order to reach Florina, on the Monastir-Salonika road and railway, which would open the way towards Larissa, in the south-west, and Kozani, in the south-east.

The Greeks, however, apparently have been firmly holding the Bigle Heights which cover Plosbar Gorge, which is the key position on the only road through the mountains usable by motorised units.

Heavy gunfire in the neighbourhood of Koritza yesterday indicated the Italians have been bombarding important Greek positions on the flanks of the gigantic Bigle Mountain.

BRITAIN HAS ANOTHER QUIET DAY

A German single-seater fighter-bomber, flying nearly five miles high over Dover yesterday, was shot down in flames by British anti-aircraft gunners.

The German raider was, only a white speck in the clear blue sky when the gunners, after firing a few rounds, scored a direct hit.

This was one of the incidents of yesterday's raids on Britain which again saw fighters and anti-aircraft defences constantly in action.

In addition to isolated raiders they had to deal with several formations from a score to 50 fighters, some of which entered the Portsmouth region, and others tried their luck in the direction of London.

The official communique states that formations were quickly dispersed and repelled.

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Dive-Bombers In Action

Abortive Attacks On Channel Shipping

LONDON, Nov. 2 (Reuter).—Nineteen "Stuka" dive-bombers yesterday attacked five small British ships in the Channel. They hit nothing but water.

They approached from the French coast, at a height of 5,000 feet and as they dived to the attack anti-aircraft batteries on shore opened up.

Some 50 bombs were dropped, sending up great clouds of smoke and water, but when smoke had cleared away the five ships were seen to be sailing serenely on.

SECOND ATTEMPT

The Stukas then went home, and long-range guns on the French coast fired several shells, hitting nothing.

The German planes came back later for another try, but shore anti-aircraft batteries put up a heavy curtain of fire and drove them off and back home.

A squadron of Spitfires then arrived to take charge and patrol the coast.

BRITISH NAVAL OFFICERS

Enthusiastic Welcome Accorded By Greeks

LONDON, Nov. 2 (Reuter).—British naval officers have arrived in Athens and a number of Greek islands; they are working at full speed preparing for co-operation with the Greeks.

The Greek populace view this evidence of assistance with enthusiasm.

The term "Fifth Column" appeared for the first time in Greek newspaper headlines yesterday and all papers carried an appeal "to guard against the propaganda of friends of the enemy, which endeavours to sow doubt here as elsewhere."

ITALIAN INTEREST

It is learned that the Hungarians have been requested to look after Italian interests in Greece, and usually well informed circles state Spain has been sounded with a view to her undertaking a similar office for Germany in the event of any developments affecting them.

CHEERING CROWDS

Crowds in the streets of Athens yesterday morning cheered the first R.A.F. plane to fly over the capital since the war with Italy started.

The plane was a Sunderland flyingboat which had been interned in Crete since it made a forced landing there a month ago. It was manned by its own crew which had been interned with the machine.

INCREASING BRITISH AIR SUPERIORITY

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—The British press analyses the latest phase of the air war over Britain in which German and British air losses approximate more closely than previously, the week's ratio being 1.9 to one.

An air correspondent writes that the Germans have pressed into service fighters as light bombers, trusting in their speed to elude the defence.

Thus Germany, by yet another change in air tactics, indicates continued dissatisfaction with its previous methods and anxiety to find means of embarrassing our defences.

Sole object is to avoid engagements with our fighters in force even though those fighters at any threatened point are probably less numerous than the invaders.

By employing converted fighters to bomb by day the enemy has been forced to concentrate on doing his serious bombing at night and merely attempt attacks on morale by day.

No serious pretence at bomb aiming can be made from a single-seat fighter not equipped for dive bombing and with about one-tenth of the bomb load of a Heinkel III.

REDUCED LOSSES

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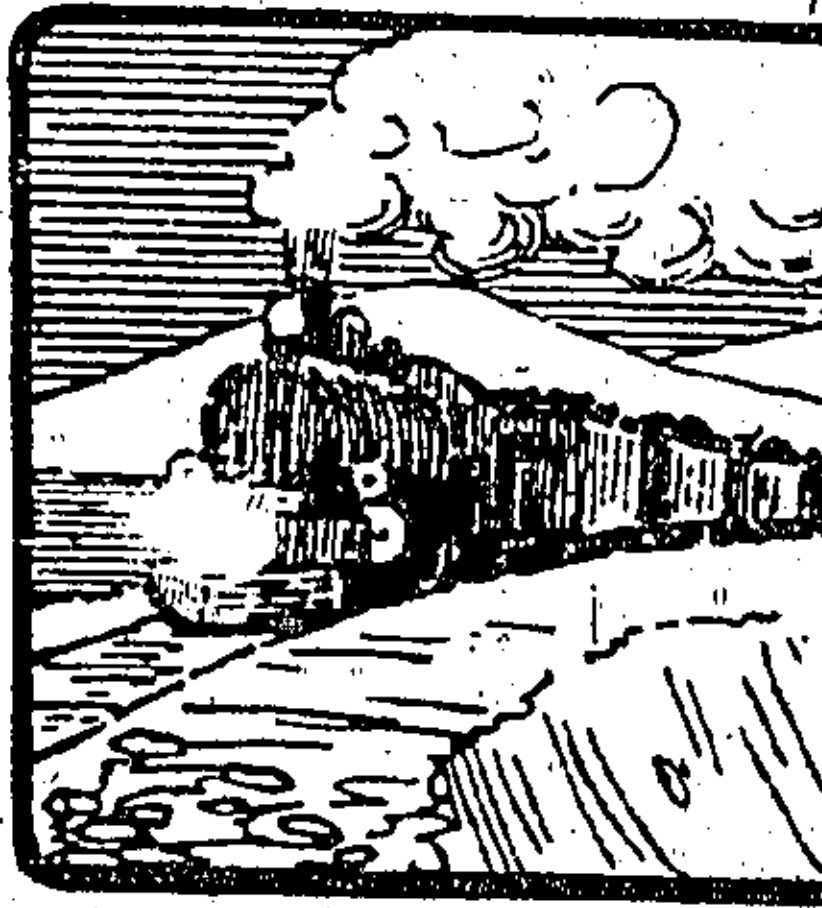
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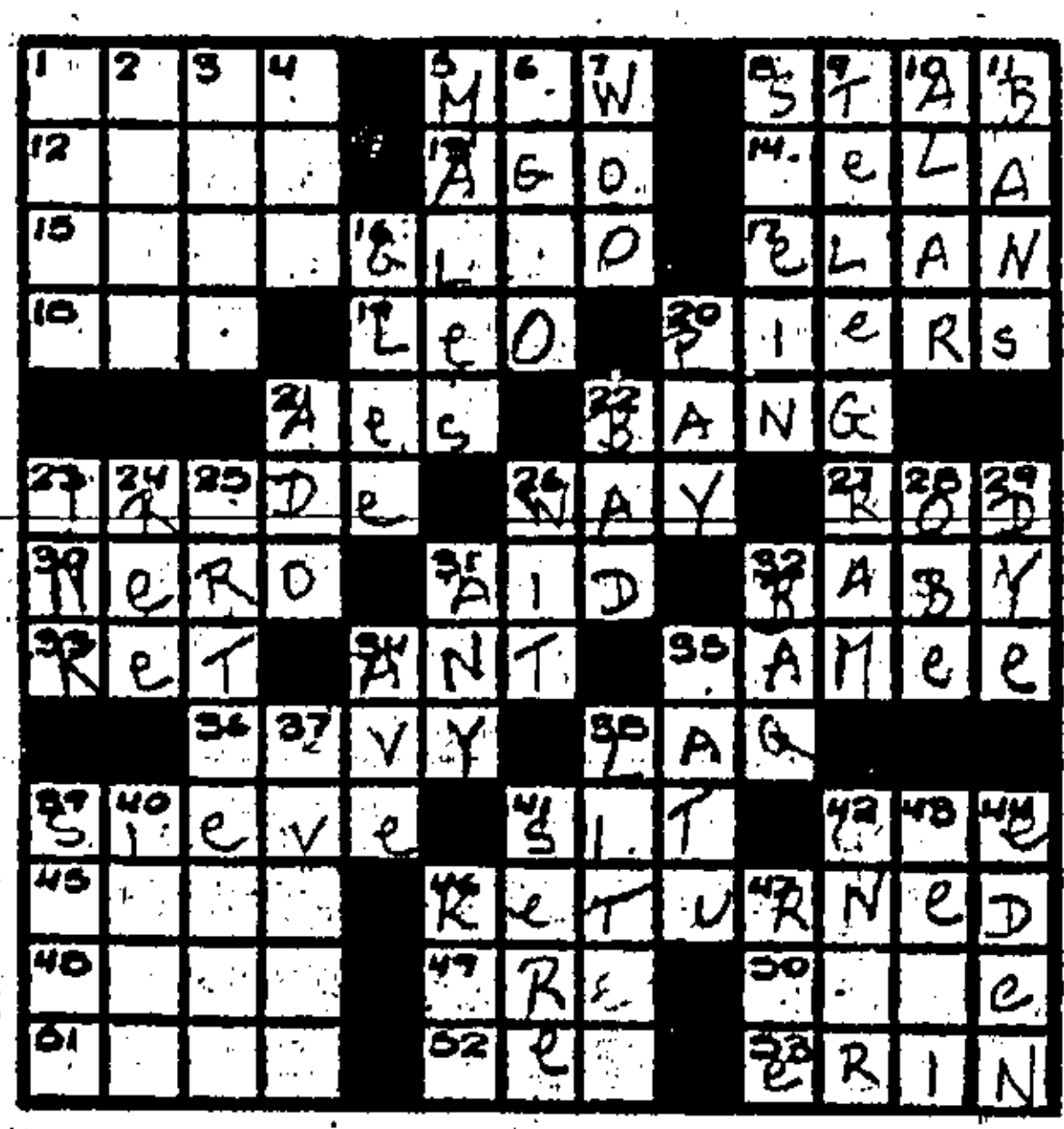
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- Platted collar
- Crop in birds
- Pierce with a dagger
- Declare
- Past
- Tissue
- Harem
- Dash
- Cooking implement
- Constellation
- Supporting pillars
- Bronze in Roman antiquity
- Strike noisily
- Decree of the sultan
- Method
- Slender stick
- Roman tyrant
- Help
- Infant
- Parrot
- Insect
- Plant cultivated for its fibre
- Short-tailed rodent
- Fall behind
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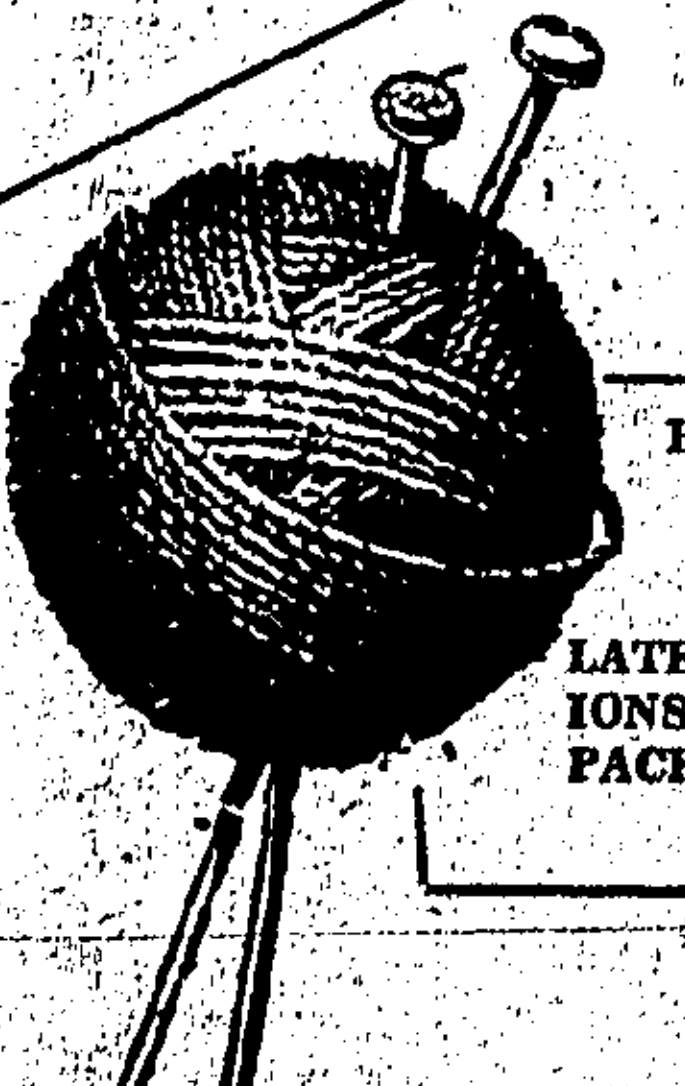


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- Cryptogamic plant
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- Men
- Percentage for exchange of currency
- Court
- Earthen mug
- Message transmitted by telegraph
- Winged
- Prohibits
- Joy
- Compensate
- Fuss
- Evil
- Writing fluid
- Female of
- the ruff
- Belonging to a large family of plants
- Humor
- Japanese Sash
- Colour
- Some
- Pouch
- Hall!
- Appraise
- Cease!
- Discoloured
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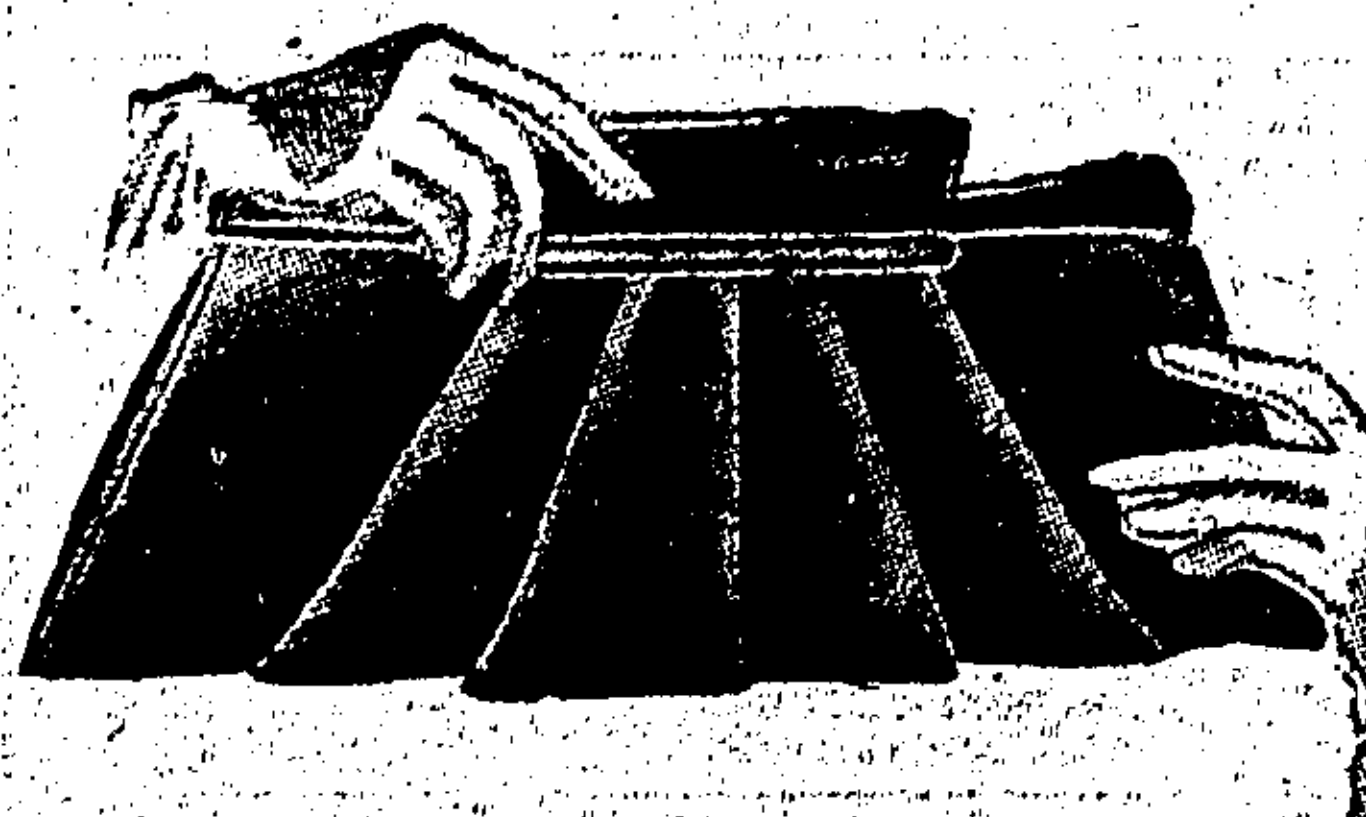
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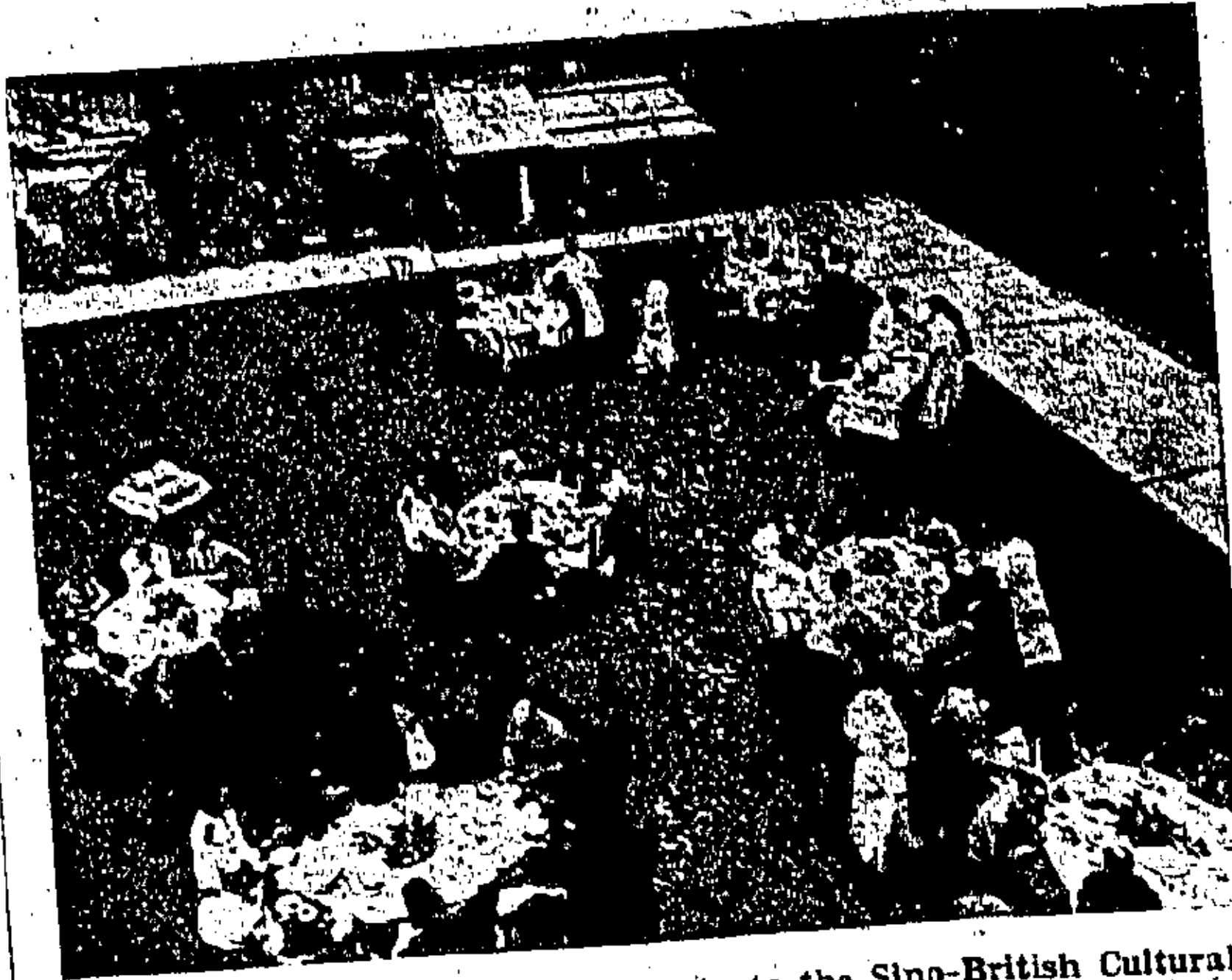
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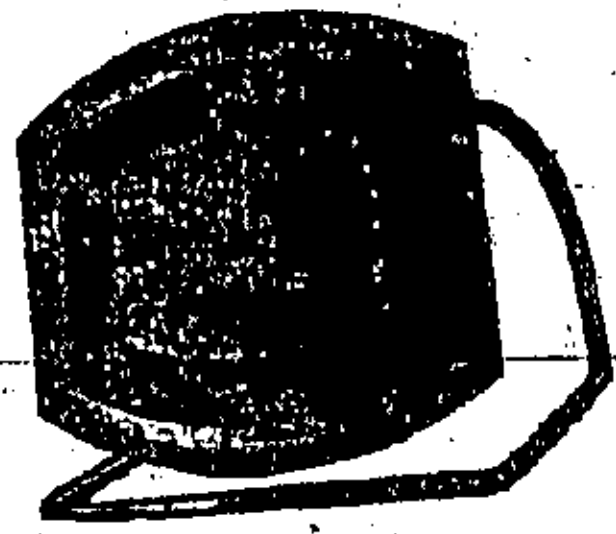
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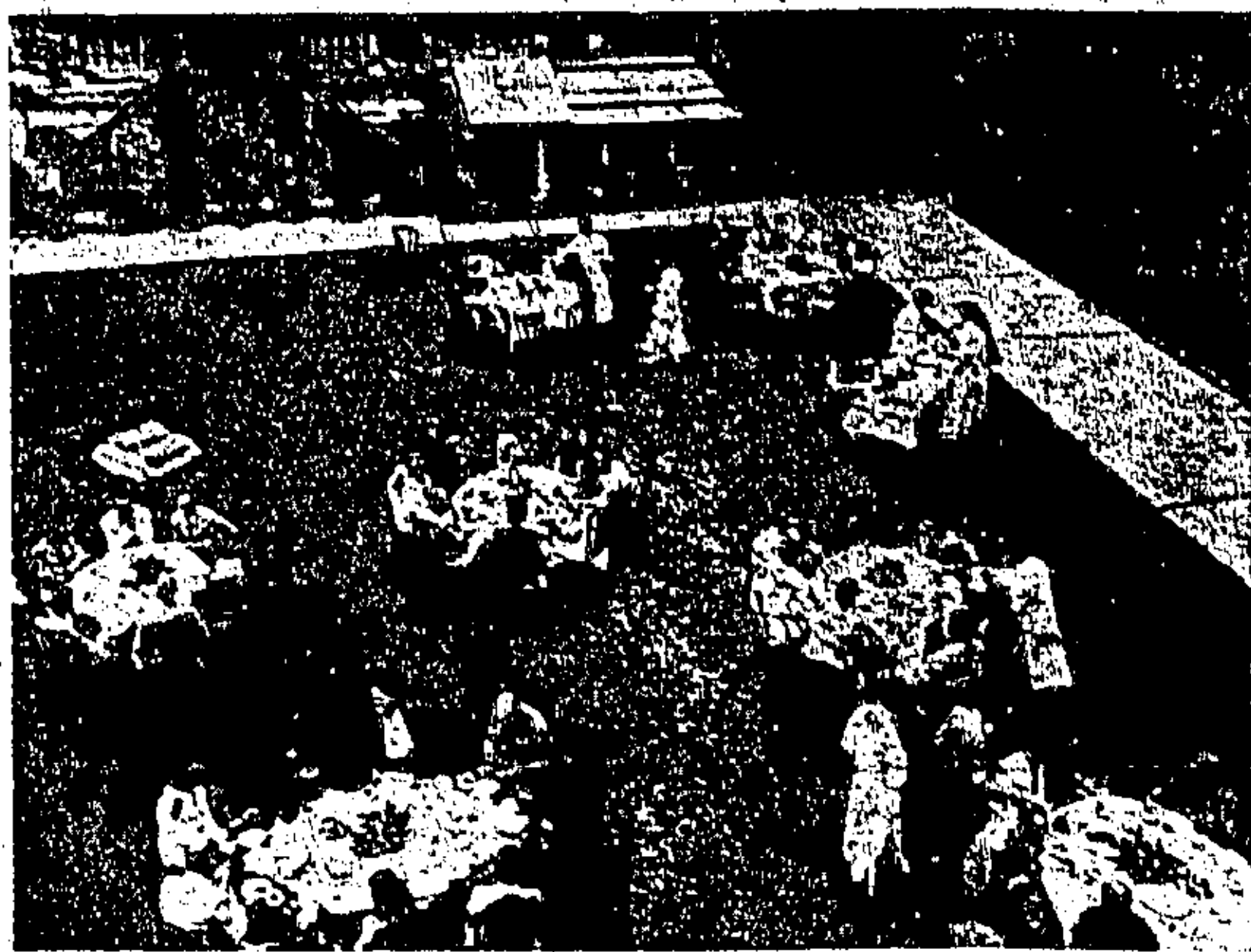
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Evacuation Advisory Committee

Appeals Dismissed: Applicant Appears In A.N.S. Uniform

Stating that there were no special grounds attached to the applications, the Evacuation Advisory Committee, comprising Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Chairman), Major R. E. Moody, Mr. C. Blaker, and Mr. C. B. Burgess, rejected two applications for exemption and two for permission to return to the Colony, on Saturday morning.

Mrs. M. Clark, who appeared in the uniform of the A. N. S., sought exemption, and in support of her application, read out letters she received from the Director of Medical Services referring to her voluntary help at the Tai Hang Refugee Camp, and from the secretary of the A. N. S. stating that arrangements have been made for her to undergo a hospital course on January 6 next. Holding that there were no exceptional circumstances, the Chairman rejected the application.

MRS. B. PEARS

Mrs. B. Pears, who also applied for exemption, said that she returned to Hongkong from Manila—although told not to—because she was unable to keep going down there. Before her marriage, she said, she was of German nationality and became a nationalised British subject after her marriage. She said she had been separated from her husband by agreement and that she has no financial means outside the Colony.

Remarking that on financial grounds alone the Committee could not advise the Governor to grant exemption, the Chairman rejected the application.

MRS. G. B. S. THOMSON

Stating that he was unable to support her in Australia, that they have no children, and that she had experience as an A. R. P. Warden, Mr. G. B. S. Thomson applied for permission for his wife to return to Hongkong. In rejecting the application, the Chairman said that many persons experienced in A. R. P. work were not allowed to return. On Mr. Thomson asking whether he could take the case further, the Chairman replied that they were not there to advise on such a matter.

MRS. E. M. BIGAZZI

Mr. E. Bigazzi applied for permission for his wife to return to Hongkong on the ground that she is indispensable to his business as, on his frequent trips to Singapore, there was no one to look after his affairs here.

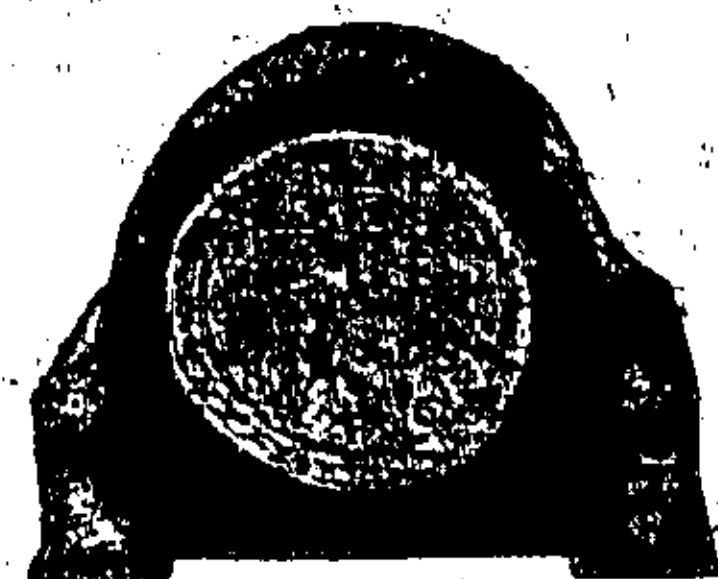
This application was rejected on the ground that permission could only be granted to those who are actually running their own business and not merely helping their husbands.

DAYLIGHT A.R.P. EXERCISES

It is learned that preparations are being made for a daylight air raid precautions exercise which will take place before the end of the year.

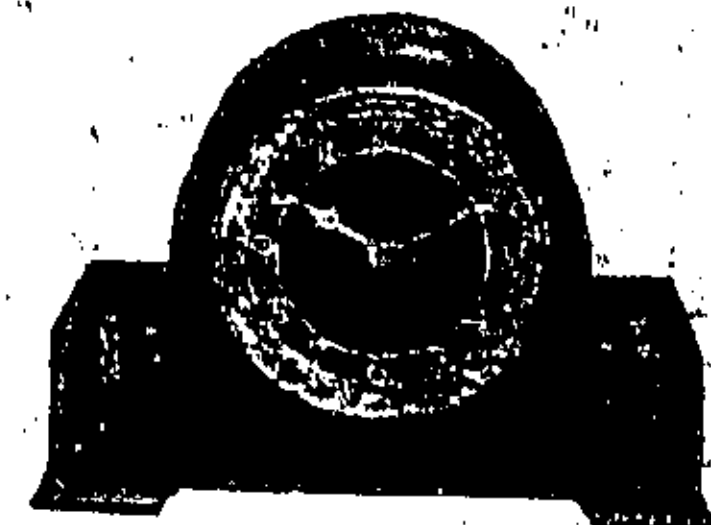
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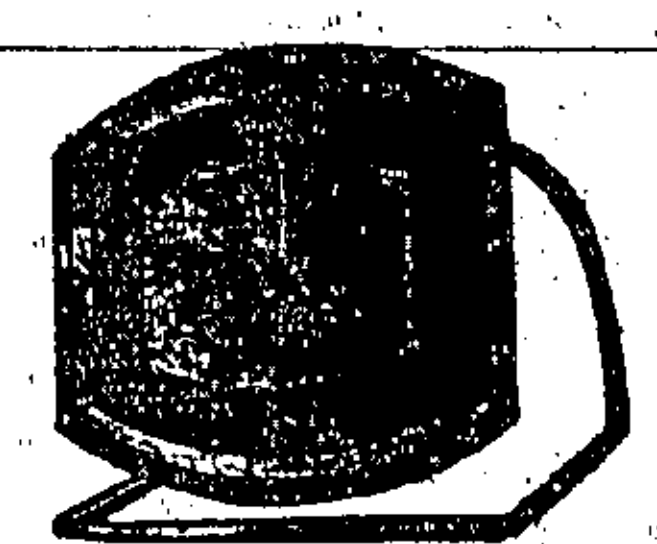
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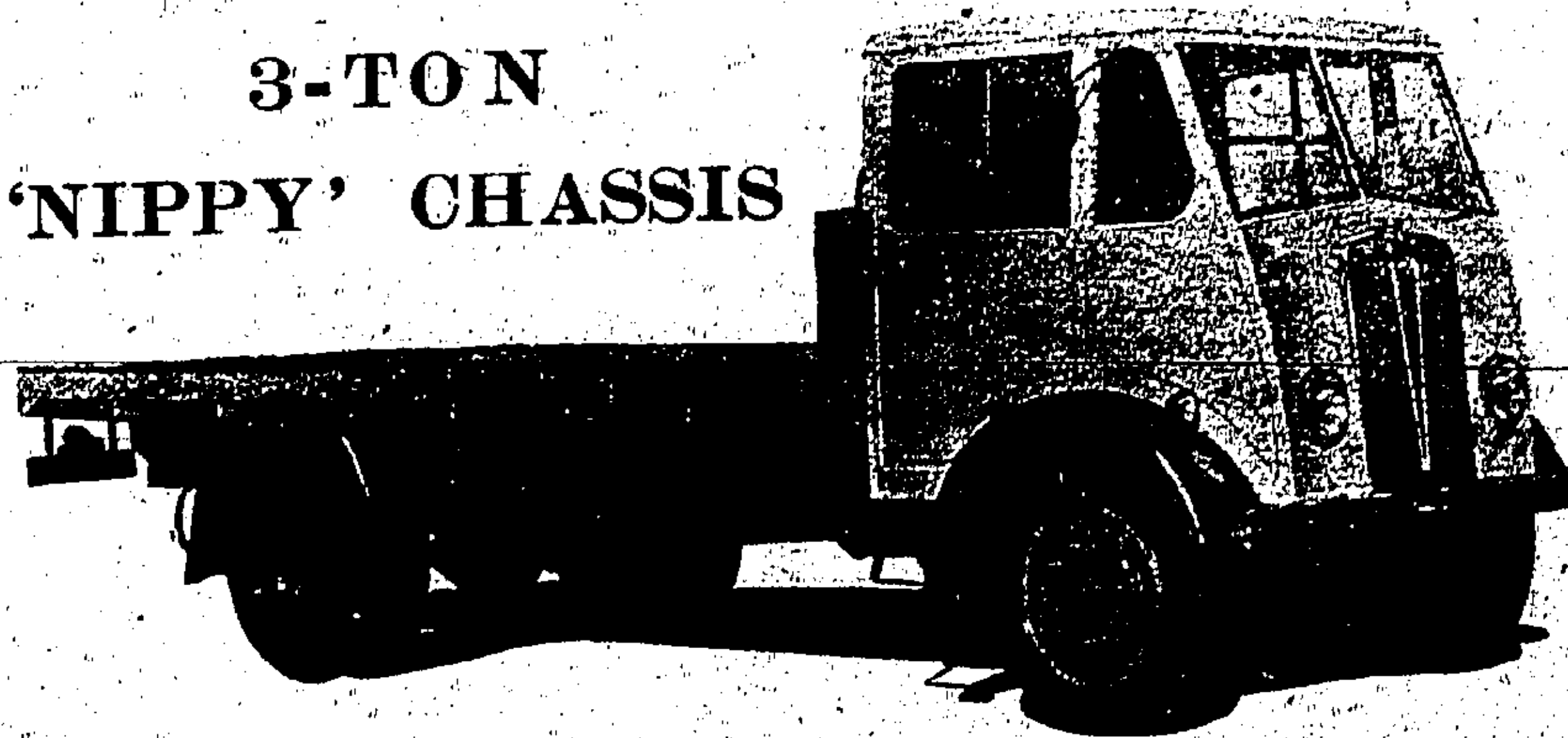
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BRITISH UNITY & WHAT IT MEANS

IN THE PAST FEW MONTHS

a great deal has been heard of the "New Order" for Europe which Nazi Germany has been proclaiming to the world as the one and only establishment for securing permanent peace. The German conception of this New Order was rudely shattered recently in a broadcast talk given by a British economist, Mr. Leonard Ingram, when he frankly exposed the fallacy of the German proposal from an economic and social point of view and condemned it summarily, with the statement that there could be no unity in Europe with political domination, which was what the German plan envisaged. As a reply to the German idea of unity, as they hope to engender it in Europe, it is appropriate to explain what British unity stands for in the world of today. The title United Kingdom signifies a unity of purpose and spirit which, taking its origin on the English, Scottish and Welsh soil, holds out its arms to every part of the British Empire, regardless of race or creed. British unity thus becomes apparent not only in material strength, but also in moral strength and the closest analysis has revealed that this unity is entirely free from political domination.

THE OUTBREAK of war with Germany last year not only increased this material and moral unity in the British Empire, but brought about definite political unity under the strongest form of national administration which the Empire has ever experienced. This political unity is now fully accomplished in the mother country and in the dominions and colonies there is a determined effort to achieve the same end. The past differences of opinion that existed among the governing classes have now been entirely subordinated to attaining the purpose for which British unity stands and party feelings on issues affecting the administration of the country and the conduct of the war have been replaced by united efforts which have successfully bridged the chasms which were responsible for mistakes of the past. This does not mean that the British people and their leaders are infallible. Errors of judgment and action are bound to occur, but when they do, they will be remedied, not by individual, party or class efforts, but by the harmonious working of a system which makes it necessary that everyone should be satisfied with the result. Where this unanimous satisfaction cannot be obtained, changes will be readily made to ensure that the cause of the dissatisfaction is removed and replaced by such action as will prove satisfactory.

THIS IS WHERE the British interpretation of unity differs so distinctly from the Nazi conception of it. In Germany, unity is based on

UNIQUE OCCASION IN HISTORY OF INDIAN COMMUNITY IN COLONY

Joint Celebration Of The Diwali Festival

An occasion unique in the history of the Indian community in Hongkong was the celebration of the Diwali Festival held at the Gloucester Hotel yesterday under the joint auspices of the Hindu Association, the Sindhi Merchants' Association, and the Indian Association of Hongkong and South China.

Messrs. J. Kirpalani, A. Vaswani, and J. H. Ruttonjee, the respective Presidents, presided. The guests were received by Messrs. M. R. Deb, Secretary of the Hindu Association, and K. B. Valdia, Secretary of the Indian Association. Mr. Deb also acted as Master of Ceremonies.

SPEECH OF WELCOME
In a neat speech of welcome, Mr. Deb said that it was a very great privilege for him to be able to welcome the guests on the first occasion that the Festival was celebrated by the combined Indian Association. In former years, said the speaker, this Festival was celebrated exclusively by the Hindus.

He concluded by wishing all present a very happy and prosperous New Year, which wish was also expressed by Mr. A. Vaswani, on behalf of his Association and himself.

Mr. Valdia expressed the hope that all celebrations in future will also be held under the joint auspices of the three Associations. He noticed, said the speaker, a growing tendency of the Indians here to get together more and more, and the latest he heard was that the ladies are going to form an Indian Ladies' Club. (Cheers.)

Mr. Valdia concluded with the pious hope that there will be a new order in the world based on

truth, justice, light and love (applause).

SINCERE WISH
Mr. J. H. Ruttonjee told the assembly that he did not expect to live very long but that it was his sincere wish, hope, and prayer that the combined celebration of the Diwali will be carried on yearly.

Professor Hsu Ti-shan, of the Hongkong University, told his hearers that although he had been to India several times he had never learned the significance of the Diwali. When he first came to Hongkong he was struck by the fact that there were so very few social activities among the Indian undergraduates in the University.

He had, he said, made it one of his aims to encourage contact not only between the Indians themselves but also between them and the Chinese students, thereby creating a better understanding between the two great nations of China and India.

After Mr. Mahan Singh, Mr. M. A. Khan, and two undergraduates of the University had addressed the guests, the celebrations were brought to a very successful conclusion with a prayer for universal peace. Mr. K. Pariani thanked all present for their attendance and wished them all prosperity in the New Year.



Mr. Maurice Fok Man-thim and his bride, formerly Miss Maria Chun So-ching, photographed after their wedding.—(King's Studio).

Trade Marks Ordinance

REMOVALS AND RENEWALS

The following trade marks have been removed from the Trade Marks Register under the provisions of the Trade Marks Ordinance, 1909:—

No. 61 of 1911—H. Price and Company, Limited, Victoria, Hongkong; No. 15 of 1913—Baidley and Company, Victoria, Hongkong; No. 29 of 1913—British Cigarette Co., Ltd., National City Bank Building, No. 2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

The registration of the following trade marks has been renewed under the provisions of the Trade Marks Ordinance, 1909:—

No. 46 of 1927—The Union Trading Company, Limited of Prince's Building, Hongkong; No. 18 of 1913—General Time Instrument Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America, having a principal place of business at 109, Lafayette Street, City of New York, State of New York, United States of America.

EXPIRY

The registration of the following trade marks has expired and that they will be removed from the Register of Trade Marks on the 2nd day of December, 1940, unless the prescribed fee for renewal of registration are paid before that date:—

No. 45 of 1927—The Studebaker Corporation of 631, South Main Street, City of South Bend, County of St. Joseph, State of Indiana, U.S.A.; No. 50 of 1927—Kwong Shun Firm of 12, Smithfield, Hongkong; No. 101 of 1927—Lau Yee Tung Chung of 198, Queen's Road West, 1st Floor, Hongkong; No. 125 of 1927—Yue Chan Firm of 11, Queen's Street, Hongkong; Nos. 197 and 198 of 1927—Standard Vacuum Oil Co. of Union Building, Hongkong.

REGISTERED

The following trade marks have been registered under the provisions of the Trade Marks Ordinance, 1909:—

No. 279 of 1940—Hang Hing Firm of No. 123, Bonham Strand East, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong; No. 280 of 1940—James H. Backhouse, Road, a corporation incorporated under the Companies Ordinance, 1911-1921, of Hongkong, and whose registered office is situated at Marina House, Nos. 15-19, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong; No. 281 of 1940—Mansion Battery Company, of No. 851, Canton Road, Kowloon, Hongkong; No. 282 of 1940—Callahan Limited, of Virginia House, 134-148, York Street, Belfast, Northern Ireland; No. 283 of 1940—The Hon Ming Knitting Factory of No. 105, Cheung Sha Wan (1st floor), Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong; No. 284 of 1940—The Yue Fat Knitting Factory of No. 128, Cheung Sha Wan Road (2nd floor), Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong; No. 285 of 1940—Kam San Knitting Factory of No. 24, Puk Wa Street, first floor, Shamshuipo, Hongkong; No. 286 of 1940—Lai Kwok Hung of No. 2, Battery Street, 2nd floor, Yaumatei, in the Colony of Hongkong; Nos. 287 and 288 of 1940—The Kwong Ming Weaving Factory of Nos. 540-542, Fook Wing Street, Shamshuipo, in the Dependency of Kowloon in the Colony of Hongkong; Nos. 289 to 292 of 1940—China Can Co. Ltd., of No. 525, Main Street West, Shaikwan in the Colony of Hongkong; No. 293 of 1940—Milton Proprietary Limited, John Milton House, 10-12, Brewery Road, London, N.7, England; No. 294 of 1940—The Lai Sang Company of No. 69, Des Voeux Road West, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong; No. 295 of 1940—RCA Manufacturing Company, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America, located at Front and Cooper Streets, Camden, State of New Jersey, United States of America; No. 296 of 1940—The Hongkong Soybean Products Co., Ltd., whose registered office is situated at No. 33, Queen's Road Central, Ground Floor, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong.

The following have been appointed to be Public Vaccinators, with effect from Oct. 21: Miss Luk Sau-yin, Miss Marjiam Ismail, Miss Chiu Yan-of, Miss Chan So-chan, Miss Chui Suet-wan, Miss Tso Kit-wa, Miss Hung Kwai-wa, Miss Leung Lai-ngor, Mrs. Lam Wong Shuk-ching, Miss Tang Yuen-chun, Mrs. Tam Au Yuk-lin.

The Shumchun Rural Welfare Centre is holding a ball at the Peninsula Hotel on November 23 and the distinguished patrons include His Excellency H. E. Lieut. General E. F. Norton, the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, and the Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith.

The Hongkong Rotary Club will hold a closed meeting tomorrow to discuss the question of ambulances and travelling canteens. It will be an important meeting and Rotarians are requested to make a special effort to attend.

Greeting cards (Christmas, New Year, etc.) must contain no written matter, except the name and address of the sender, and must be posted in unsealed covers, which must be clearly marked "Greeting Card," states a Government Gazette notification.

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ROUND THE POLICE COURTS

AT CENTRAL

SOLD TELESCOPE

Li Hoi, 25, unemployed, was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. G. T. Lowry on Saturday when he was convicted on a charge of stealing a telescope, belonging to Mr. Owrum Andersen, from Thorsen and Co. of Queen's Building.

Defendant was invited to pass the night at the office by one of the coolies who took pity on him as he was sick and had no place to sleep. When the coolie woke up the next morning defendant had already left and, later in the day, the telescope was found to be missing.

Defendant was arrested in Wanchai and admitted selling the telescope, valued at \$200, for 60 cents.

ONE WEEK'S REMAND

On the application of Det. Sub-Inspector R. Cunningham a formal remand of one week was granted by Mr. Barnett on Saturday when three men, charged in connection with the robbery against Mrs. Potts, appeared on remand.

Lo Kan, 26, unemployed, and Cheng Tim, 22, unemployed, were charged with robbing Mrs. Potts of a platinum and diamond wrist watch at Mount Davis Road, Pokfulam, on Oct. 22, while the third, Chan Cheuk, 25, unemployed, was charged with conspiring with first two defendants on Oct. 12 to commit a robbery.

GAMBLING RAID

Ma Shui, 36, street coolie, charged with keeping a gaming house at No. 19, Hau Wo Street, ground floor, had \$70 bail exacted when he failed to appear before Mr. Barnett on Saturday. Four others, charged with gambling, also had bail of \$3 each exacted for not being present, while 12 others, on a similar charge, were fined \$2 each.

AT KOWLOON

POSSESSION OF ARMS

A junk master, Kwok Pak-cheung, 51, of junk No. T4321H, was charged before Mr. Hims with possession of arms and ammunition on board his junk.

He was additionally charged with possession of 70 sticks of dynamite, 30 detonators, and one length of gauze.

Mr. H.A. de Botelho, who appeared for the defendant, said that the defendant possessed all these only for self protection since he was master of a trading junk. Mr. Botelho also pointed out that sometime ago the accused had done a service for rescuing over ten people and that he should be cautioned, not fined a small sum.

On the first charge the defendant was cautioned, while he was fined \$10 for the second charge. The dynamite was confiscated. Det. Sgt. Bethell prosecuted.

ARMS CASE ADJOURNED

Two junk masters, Chan Tim, 35, of trading junk No. T2847H, and Leung Mun, 32, of No. T1622H, were arrested for possession of arms and ammunition on Saturday.

The first accused had three rifles, 343 rounds of rifle ammunition, and three cannons on board his junk at the Yaumatei Typhoon Shelter, while the second defendant had in his possession three rifles and rifle ammunition.

ESSENTIAL WAR WEAPON:

Queen's Brother Speaks Of Value Of Blockade Against Germany

"TO MODIFY BRITAIN'S ECONOMIC BLOCKADE OF GERMANY would be to place ourselves under as great a handicap as to muzzle the guns on our battleships," said the Hon. David Bowes-Lyon, brother of Her Majesty the Queen, in the course of a talk in London on Saturday night, when he commented on the work being done by the Ministry of Economic Warfare.

The speaker first referred to the criticism about the blockade of foodstuffs. "It is the most difficult of all problems connected with my work in the Ministry," he said, "and I want to put this problem in its true perspective."

ESSENTIAL WEAPON

"First of all let me tell you that although no one here expects to win the war by blockade alone, we do look upon it as one of the most essential weapons of the war. It has been consistently in action since the outbreak of the war. It has had its failure and it has also had many successes."

"To discard it now would be to lose one of our best trumps. We do not expect to beat the Germans on this one card alone and I don't think we really want to. We have our soldiers, and our airmen and our navy for that. Our civilians have had nearly two months of murderous bombing. They have seen their homes wrecked and their friends and relatives killed and we all want to give the Germans a dose of their own medicine."

"For our campaign, economic warfare is necessary. It is part of the offensive that must sweep the Germans back. Our position on this island is that we are faced with a whole continent which is almost entirely in opposition to us through their overlord. Even with the supplies we are getting from the dominions and colonies and the United States, our position ought to be desperate—but we think it good and that is because we have prevented the Germans from obtaining what they need to use against us."

GERMAN PREPARATIONS

"The Germans have been saying for years now that they are blockadeproof and they certainly took steps to make themselves so. For years they prepared by laying up stocks of war materials. They might also have imported food, but they preferred to spend their money on expensive war machines, arguing that if you can threaten a nation with them, they would give you anything you want. They even cut down the standard of living of their own people until the change from peace to war conditions was hardly noticed."

"We, on the other hand, have a democratic system. We were unwilling to sacrifice our standard of living in the race for armaments. So the Germans gained a long start on us. Our task now is to overtake this lead as quickly as possible."

"In this task, blockade has been our foremost weapon and it is our foremost weapon today. The fact that the Germans fear this blockade is shown by the preparations they made to meet it, but so far they do not appear to have prepared enough."

asked for a remand of three days which was granted.

DANGEROUS GOODS

A fine of \$75 was imposed by Mr. Himsworth on Saturday on Ma Yan-cho, 45, master of junk No. T5176H, for possession of dangerous goods on board his junk without a licence.

Sgt. J.F. Galvin, who prosecuted, said that 3,000 tins of petroleum were found on the junk on November 1 in the Harbour.

BURGLAR GAOLEU

Charged with burglary and larceny before Mr. Q.A.A. Macdwyen on Saturday, Chan Shui, 39, was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

"Many of Herr Hitler's moves can be considered in purely economic terms. Incidentally, he secured a great deal of agricultural products in Denmark, Norway and Holland. Now he needs oil, so Rumania has been brought under what the Germans call their 'protection' and the stage has been set for the drive to the east."

"It is not for Britain's blockade, Hitler would not have had to make these diversions. And even if it was the blockade which forced Herr Hitler into further action, his action has been successful, except against Great Britain itself. He has got what he wants from the other countries he has occupied."

"In fact, some people say: 'What is the use of the economic blockade now? I am convinced that our blockade is still most effective. Herr Hitler has not yet reached a clearer solution of his oil problems and he is also faced with problems of increasing production and transport. The stocks he has will not last out much longer and Germany is still short of petrol, alloys, etc. That is a very important list of deficiencies and after all quality counts as much as quantity in this war.'

"The blockade will enable us to keep our lead in quality. Every night now we hear stirring news of how our R. A. F. has been going for industrial districts in Germany and we like to think of German industry being hammered rather than their people being starved, but both the hammering and starvation is part of the blockade."

CLEARING THE WAY

"The Germans cannot get their oil from overseas owing to the blockade, so they have to make it artificial at home in factories which stand out well as targets. The blockade on copper have forced the Germans to use aluminium instead and for this they must have several important elements which they cannot obtain. Then again, the Germans have had to take off a great part of their traffic on the roads owing to lack of petrol—that too is due to our blockade. The bombing by the R. A. F. of the railway system has upset distribution of supplies."

"The blockade, therefore, narrows down the field of attack for our bombers. It is curious that though Herr Hitler has fostered the development of his air weapon and industry, one may cancel the other because industry is hopeless against air power. Just as the blockade is now clearing the way for our own air offensive, so it will clear the way for our final military offensive."

"The whole of the vast industrial organisation of Germanised Europe must be weakened until we can rid Europe of the German incubus by armed force. The Germans have made total war and nothing less than the extinction of the Nazi system is our aim. We cannot afford to let Germany import anything into the occupied territories."

VITALLY IMPORTANT

"The blockade has been criticised as inactive, inhuman and wantonly cruel. It is not inactive, because it paves the way for final victory. The blockade is not inhuman, because it limits our air bombing to well chosen military objectives and it is not cruel, because it is not meant to starve, but to weaken the monster of the German war machine."

"You can see, therefore, how vitally important the blockade is to us. We want to rid ourselves of this bombing and ruthlessness and to modify the blockade would be to place ourselves under as great a handicap as to muzzle the guns on our battleships."

The annual Speech Day of St. Stephen's Girls' College will be held on Thursday next, Nov. 7, at 5 p.m. Mrs. S. W. To' has consented to present the cups and certificates.

SENSATIONAL END TO ELECTION MEETING: ARMED MAN APPROACHES WENDELL WILLKIE ON PLATFORM

Both Candidates Insist On Every Possible Aid For Britain

There was a sensational end to an election meeting which MR. WENDELL WILLKIE, President Roosevelt's rival for presidential honours, was addressing on Saturday, when a man approached the platform, from which Mr. Willkie was speaking, in a threatening manner.

He was arrested by the Police and found to have a revolver in his possession.

Society Of St. Vincent De Paul

REPORT OF WORK IN 1939

In presenting its report and statement of account for 1939, the Council of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul again takes the opportunity to thank the public of Hongkong for its generous support of the good work which the Society has now been carrying on for more than three-quarters of a century among the poor, irrespective of race or creed.

MONEY AND PROVISIONS

During the seven months January to July 1940 the Society contributed to the maintenance of 228 families, as against 194 families assisted during the same period last year. 2,738 visits were made to the Poor in their homes during the seven months. The total sum disbursed in the maintenance of those 228 families was \$8,154.50, as against \$5,583.30 for the same period of 1939, and \$11,732.04 for the whole of last year. From January to July this year the Society also supplied poor children with shoes and clothing to the extent of \$103.50. The expenditure under this head in the same period of 1939 was \$128.88.

HOUSING ACCOMMODATION

The great increase in rents, resulting from the large influx of refugees from war-torn China has very considerably aggravated the distressed condition of poor families, and the serious overcrowding in the poorer tenements, which has been revealed to members of the Society at the large number of personal visits made to their homes, has been causing the Council no little anxiety, both on grounds of health and the grave moral dangers of overcrowding for the children of such poor. The expenditure under this head for the first seven months of 1940 was \$1,750.94, as against an expenditure of \$2,877.63 for the whole of 1939.

EDUCATION

It is the policy of the Society to provide poor children with as good an education as the Society's funds permit, and 144 children are at present receiving an English education at the expense of the Society at La Salle College, St.

SUCCESSFUL R.A.F. RAID ON NAPLES

LONDON, Nov. 1 (Reuter).—“I bet we gave the Neapolitans a real shake-up,” said a Flight Leader who participated in the bombing of Naples last night.

He added: “The idea of competing with the volcano appealed to all of us.”

The bombing lasted three quarters of an hour, states the Air Ministry news service. The oil refinery and storage tanks at Poggioreale on the southern outskirts of the city were first heavily bombed, causing many explosions and fires.

The ground defence here was described as slight and ineffective.

Then the British aircraft, flying over the city below 2,000 feet, attacked a station and railway junction and finally anti-aircraft batteries and searchlights were attacked and one battery was silenced.

Joseph's College, St. Mary's School, Maryknoll Convent School, St. Francis' School and the French Convent School. A further 39 children attend the Kai Lap School, the Society's vernacular school at No. 53 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, and 83 the Oi Pak School at Kowloon Tsi.

The Society also maintains night schools at Sham Shui Po and Tai Hang the average attendance at each is 40.

GOVERNMENT GRANT

The Council desires to thank the Hongkong Government for its Annual Grant of \$1,000.00 in aid of the Society's funds.

HELP HONGKONG'S POOR

With the above brief statement of the Society's work, the Council renews its appeal to the generous public of Hongkong for their continued support for the coming year.

It is regretted that the annual “Al Fresco Fete” will have to be abandoned this year. The annual Sale of Roses will, however, be held on Our Poor Day, on Monday, December 2, 1940, and in view of the heavy loss of revenue which the cancellation of the annual Fete will involve, the Council earnestly appeals to all friends and supporters of the Society's work to give with increased generosity on that day, so that it may not be necessary during the coming year to curtail the Society's good work among the deserving poor of this Colony.

NINE ENEMY FIGHTERS BROUGHT DOWN

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—According to reports hitherto received, nine enemy aircraft were brought down by our fighters yesterday without loss to themselves.

Since dawn two strong formations of enemy aircraft, mostly fighters and fighter-bombers crossed the coast of Kent flying towards London.

An Air Ministry communique states that the earlier attack was met by our fighters which turned it before reaching London. A few bombs were dropped on Kent and a little damage and a few casualties were reported.

LARGER SCALE

The second attack was on a larger scale, consisting of about 100 aircraft. Our fighters and anti-aircraft defences again dispersed the main formation but a few aircraft flew over the London area at a great height.

A few bombs were again dropped in Kent but damage was slight and the number of casualties small.

Later in the morning several enemy aircraft attacked the Thames Estuary and attacked two localities, Kent and Essex. Some damage was done and a small number were killed and injured.

FEW CASUALTIES

Very few casualties were reported.

ed in last night's air raids in Britain which were all on a small scale and ended sometime before midnight, says an Air Ministry communique.

Some bombs were dropped in London, the Home Counties and Eastern and South-East England. Some houses and shops were damaged in several places, but the damage, as a whole, was not great. There was slight enemy activity in Eastern England shortly before dawn, but there are no reports of bombs being dropped.

One enemy aircraft was destroyed during the night.

GERMAN CLAIMS

BERLIN, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—As well as reporting Saturday's night raid on London, a High Command communique claims that an armaments works in the Midlands received serious hits, and also that a bomber sank a 6,000-ton merchant ship on the east coast.

LAVAL LEADING WAY

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German demands on France, demands which would give France some meagre concessions in return for French assistance against Britain.

“The Vichy Government's vote of confidence in Marshal Petain and M. Laval gives a false idea of the situation. It was, of course, meant to produce the impression that both men hold the same views about the best attitude to be adopted to the German demands. Actually, while Marshal Petain is undecided and probably resisting such an utter betrayal of Great Britain, M. Laval is all in favour of complete collaboration with the Nazis against ourselves.

“M. Laval admitted this in a recent interview with Mr. Roy Porter. He told Mr. Porter that democracy was dead and that he was staking the future of France on collaboration with Germany.

Mr. Porter said that the impression he got after his interview was that M. Laval desired the defeat of England as a corollary to Franco-German collaboration.

TEMPORARY RELAXATION

“That is where M. Laval stands. You may wonder what sort of a man it is who is so desirous of discarding the pledge to his country on terms from Herr Hitler. Herr Hitler would regard a temporary relaxation of the hardships he has imposed on France as well worth granting in return for the use of strategic points in France and her empire. And as surely as the sun rises, the first thing he will do, if he wins, is to take back all he has given.

“It beats me how a man of M. Laval's intelligence can advocate such a thing, for we have his own word that he does. Let us take a look at the man. That may prove an explanation. I propose to give you nothing but facts. I have formed my own judgment of the man and I would like you to form yours.”

Mr. Cadet went on to describe M. Laval's life, tracing it from his birth place 57 years ago, in the tiny town of Chateaufort, near Vichy. He was of humble origin, his parents being of the peasant class, and very poor. His Gypsy blood is apparent in his black hair and jet black eyes.

“Mr. Laval,” said Mr. Cadet, “had his eye on politics and was in due course elected to the Chamber of Deputies, which is the French equivalent to the House of Commons or the United States Congress. During the last war he was a pacifist and was suspect as were a number of pacifists in those days. This, therefore, is not against him.

LAVAL'S STAR

“It was after the war that M. Laval's star began to rise. He made money—quite how nobody knows—and in an astonishingly short time amassed a huge fortune and his political principles changed and with his movement away from socialism came the desire to cut a dash in the social world by the acquisition, among other things, of a titled son-in-law.”

Mr. Cadet went on to describe M. Laval's rise to the top flight of his political career, which led to his being made Prime Minister on several occasions.

Describing a visit to America by M. Laval, Mr. Cadet said: “This visit was in connexion with war debts and he saw President Hoover. As soon as he returned, M. Laval said that Mr. Hoover had agreed to reduce war debts if France cut down her reparation demands from Germany.”

“Mr. Hoover, of course, denied having said this. I went to see M. Laval and asked him to explain. He repeated his contention, and then added, with the suspicion of a smile, ‘Now it is only his word against mine. No one was present when we spoke.’ He said this with a kind of relish.”

FOREIGN POLICY

Mr. Cadet next referred to M. Laval's foreign policy. “He maintained the fiction that he can harry Signor Mussolini and was preaching rapprochement with Italy, in spite of the fact that French political help to Herr Hitler's gangster partner in Abyssinia did not prevent Mussolini from claiming Nice, Tunis, Corsica and Savoy.”

“And so M. Laval went on with his totalitarian policy and soon after the outbreak of war he was working for a soldier to head the Cabinet. I sent a message to the Government, without mentioning any names, referring to a defunct band of politicians. That frightened M. Laval and he at once came out with a statement that he was wholeheartedly in support of the war.”

BRITISH TROOPS LAND IN GREECE

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Col. Bratt says there is no talk at present of a break through. Operations on the coast, and further east, indicate that the Italians are seeking to take Janina by an encircling movement. It is worthy of note that the small activity of the Italian Air Force is possibly due to weather conditions.

UNITED, RESOLUTE

ATHENS, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—Greece ends her first week against Italy as united, proud and resolute as when the sirens first wailed over Athens on Monday morning, writes Reuter's Special correspondent in Athens.

Official circles are puzzled by the way the Italians have hitherto conducted the operations. Greek warships bombarded Italian positions unhindered.

The crucial northern pass leading to Florina is still held by the Greeks and the tanks employed by the Italians have been of a type entirely unsuitable for the territory.

CAMPAIGN PUZZLE

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—Signor Mussolini's campaign in Greece is something of a puzzle for during the five days following the ultimatum the Italian High Command limited operations to sporadic bombings and half-hearted skirmishing by advanced guards, says the Daily Telegraph in a leading article. Of the swift, sudden and powerful blow which would be expected there was never a sign.

Every day brings fresh evidence of the unanimous support of the Turkish people for the staunchness of their Government's determination to collaborate with Britain in the resistance of any Axis threat against their country.

The Turks and Greeks alike may be sure that Britain will neglect neither her obligations nor her opportunities.

ROME DENIAL

ROME, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—The semi-official Stefani News Agency today denied most emphatically rumours that the “Italo-Greek conflict could be liquidated by means of negotiations.”

POSITIONS HELD

ATHENS, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—Despite the heavy attacks from artillery and aircraft, the Greeks held positions they occupied inside the Albanian territory in the Florina sector, according to a Greek High Command communique.

VIOLENT ARTILLERY DUEL

ATHENS, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—A Greek G. H. Q. communique says that in Epirus and the Western Macedonian fronts yesterday, there was a violent artillery duel.

SUBMARINES LOST

ROME, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—An Italian communique admits the recent loss of two submarines.

HELPING WAR EFFORT

LANARK, CYPRUS, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—Money and jewellery to help the Greek war effort are pouring in from all classes of Cypriots.

SHANGHAI FUND

SHANGHAI, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—The Greek Community in Shanghai has inaugurated a War Relief Fund. Over \$50,000 has already been raised, and the money will be sent to the Greek Premier.

“That was queer, because I had not mentioned his name at all. He wanted to see me and I told him that if he wanted to see me he could call at my office. When he did not come he made the excuse that if he was seen entering my office he might be accused of intrigue with me.”

INTO THE OPEN

“And now he has come into the open. All thought of French resistance was abandoned. I need not dwell on M. Laval's capitulation. All is well known to every one. It is enough to say that France is now, definitely at the crossroads, with M. Laval wishing to lead the way towards total collaboration with Germany and Marshal Petain and others doing their best to avoid such a dishonourable step.”

NO VOLUNTARY DELIVERY

ZURICH, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—Whatever the attitude of M. Laval in the negotiations with the Nazis, there is no question that Marshal Petain and General Weygand are agreeing to the voluntary delivery of the French Fleet into Herr Hitler's hands, according to well-informed French circles here.

ROYAL SCOTS GIVE SING TAO FRIGHT

BANKIER SHINES IN GOAL

Giving a sound all-round display Royal Scots, on the Club ground yesterday, gave Sing Tao, potential champions, a big fright, the latter netting the winning goal in the last few minutes of the game the final score being 3-2.

Sing Tao had to fight hard throughout to keep their 100 per cent record intact and can be considered lucky to have gained full points.

Down two-nil at the interval the Scots again showed their fine fighting spirit and levelled in the second half.

Cheung Wing-choi was his usual cool self between the sticks, but Bankier, who deputised for Duncan in goal for the Royals caught the lightning. He brought off many brilliant saves.

Lee Tin-sang was ever a stumbling block to the Scots' attack, while Leung Wing-chiu focussed all his attention on Hossack. The forwards showed perfect understanding with Fung King-cheong as the schemer and constantly feeding Kwok Ying-ki with nice through passes.

WEAK CENTRING

The Scots' front line played a good game and most of the danger originated from the right. Woods, though seen in several beautiful runs down the line, was very weak in his centring.

Their real strength was in their intermediate line where Parnaby, Falconer and Clark worked strenuously to stem the nippy Chinese forwards. Falconer, however, in his anxiety to “cover” Fung, gave Kwok plenty of rope and, incidentally, it was the latter who slipped through in the closing minutes to net the winning point.

ROYAL SCOTS: Bankier; Nay-smith, Fraser; Parnaby, Falconer, Clark; Woods, Marshall, Hossack, Munro, and Gilroy.

SING TAO: Cheung Wing-choi; Hau Yung-sang, Lee Tin-sang; Tsui Ah-fai, Leung Wing-chiu, Soong Ling-sing; Tang Kwong-sum, Fung King-cheong, Kwok Ying-ki, Lai Shiu-wing and Ip Pak-wah.

ROYALS WIN

In a Second Division League match on the same ground Royal Scots defeated Sing Tao by two goals to one.

TARLETON RETAINS BRITISH TITLE

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—In his ninth championship fight, 34-year-old Ned Tarleton retained the British featherweight championship, outpointing the 21-year-old soldier, Tom Smith, in 15 rounds.

The Yamata Maru has already completed her maiden voyage across the Pacific. The future voyages of this second of the three new sister ships, of which the first vessel was the Nitta Maru which appeared in Hongkong for the Maiden Voyage early in May, will be in the California/Manila route.

THEFT REPORTS

Mr. C. S. Holcombe, residing in Room No. 41, Y.M.C.A., has reported the theft of a wallet, containing \$40 in Hongkong currency, and a pipe, from his room between 4.30 to 11 p.m. yesterday.

Lau Wing-wo, master of San Fat Tailor shop, at No. 30, Nathan Rd., has reported that some person broke the window of the shop and stole a wild-cat fur coat valued at \$150, between 10 p.m. on Saturday and 7 a.m. yesterday.

FIRING PRACTICE

Firing practice as under is notified for today:— Heavy gun practice between 7 p.m. and midnight. Alternative date Nov. 8. Firing Areas “C” and “D” will be affected.

NAVY & KWONG WAH SHARE EIGHT GOALS

SAILORS HAD AN EARLY LEAD

After leading by two clear goals, Royal Navy only succeeded with difficulty in sharing eight goals with Kwong Wah yesterday at Causeway Bay in the First Division of the Football League.

Playing on a slippery ground and with a heavy ball, Navy had a noticeable advantage over their opponents but it was not until the last five minutes before the final whistle that they equalised with Kwong Wah.

For the first time Kwong Wah fielded an all-Chinese team and it proved impressive. The combination between Wong King-chung, Cheuk Shek-kam and Chin Chi-fun on the left was especially good. Chung Fal-lam and Leung Pak-wai, full-backs, distinguished themselves.

Hendy was the most dangerous of the Navy forwards. The speedy Bourne and “sharp-shooter” Phippens on the wings worried their opponents throughout the game.

Roughly and Honeywell were in good form.

Royal Navy:—King; Roughly, Honeywell; Honeywell, Croft, Hall; Phippens, Le Page, Hendy, Maughan and Bourne.

Kwong Wah:—Lee Kwok-kee; Chung Fal-lam, Leung Pak-wai; Cheung Shu-fai, Ng Tak-wing, Kam Kar-pui; Cheung Nai-shing, Chan Wal-sang, Chin Chi-fun, Cheuk Shek-kam and Wong King-chung.

SMALL BALL SOCCER LEAGUE STARTS NOV. 9

At a representative meeting held at the Chinese Y. Kowloon, it was decided that the Boys' Small Ball Miniature League will commence on Nov. 9. There will be two games every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, starting at 4.15 p.m.

The games will be played at McPherson Ground and Tong-mi Rd. Grounds.

Players are requested to present their photos to the Director of the Association for qualification on Nov. 4 and 5, children's playgrounds.

Measuring of players will take place at Chinese Y.M.C.A., Kowloon, from 9.30 a.m. to noon and from 2 to 4 p.m., on Nov. 4 and 5. Messrs. Tam Hok-nin and Yeung Kwai-cheung were appointed to measure the boys.

CAXTON WINS CAMBRIDGESHIRE

NOTTINGHAM, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—The American-bred out-sider, Caxton, owned by Major Riggs and ridden by Percy Evans, won the New Cambridgeshire by half a length from J. Ramsden's Heavyweight with the favourite, Mrs. Bond's Quartermaster, a further neck behind.

There were 15 starters and the betting was 100/7 (Caxton), 100/6 (Heavyweight) and 100/30 (Quartermaster). The winner was trained by Armstrong.

HOME RUGBY LEAGUE

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—The following are the results of the Rugby League matches played yesterday:—

Batley 13 v. York 6.
Bradford 17 v. Castleford 3.
Bramley 2 v. Huddersfield 10.
Featherstone 14 v. Dewsbury 7.
Hull 16 v. Leeds 0.
Hunsley 10 v. Halifax 7.
St. Helen's 0 v. Warrington 13.
Swinton 34 v. Leigh 2.
Wakefield 27 v. Keighly 0.

THE WEATHER

Maximum temperature of 78 and minimum of 72 were recorded yesterday.

Total rainfall since Jan. 1 is 118.70 inches against an average of 82.57.

Royal Observatory report states: The Japanese anticyclone is moving into the Pacific to the east of Japan, and that over Mongolia is increasing in intensity. The typhoon is situated immediately to the south-east of Guam moving NW. or WNW.

LAMMERTS' AUCTIONS

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Wednesday, the 6th November, 1940.

commencing at 10.30 a.m.

at No. 5, Tregunter Mansions, May Road.

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

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Monday, the 4th November, 1940

commencing at 10.30 a.m.

at their Sales Room, No. 35, Hankow Road, Kowloon.

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Tuesday, the 5th November, 1940

commencing at 2.30 p.m.

at No. 8, Branksome Towers, May Road.

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

comprising:—

Chesterfield Couch and Arm-chairs, Teak Bookcases, French Curio Cabinets, Card Tables, Ornaments, Standard Lamps, Lights, Heaters, Oil Paintings, Carved Lacquer Cabinets, Curtains, etc., etc.

Teak Extension Dining Table, Sideboard, Glass Cabinets, Teapots, Crockery, Glass Ware, etc., etc.

Teak Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, Chests of Drawers, Bed Tables, Medicine Chests, Kerosene Stoves, etc., etc.

also

1 Set Duncan Phyfe Sofa and Armchairs

1 "Airline" 12-tube Radio

1 "G.E." 13 Cubic Foot Refrigerator

and

FEW PIECES OF BLACKWOOD WARE

On View from Monday, the 4th November, 1940.

Terms: Cash on Delivery.

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BOMBERS FOR STAMPS

PUBLIC AUCTION.

ALL Stamps kindly donated by several persons in aid of The South China Morning Post War Fund will be sold by

PUBLIC AUCTION

by the undersigned on

Thursday the 7th November, 1940

commencing at 5.15 p.m.

at their Sales Room, No. 2, Connaught Road, Central (2nd Floor).

A VALUABLE COLLECTION OF POSTAGE STAMPS

On View from Monday, the 4th November, 1940.

TERMS:—CASH ON DELIVERY.

LAMMERT BROS.,
AUCTIONEERS.

RUGBY

CLUB TROUCE POLICE Giving an all-round improved display Club trounced Police in a friendly game on Saturday by four goals and a try (23 points) to nil.

Club showed fine combination and was very neat in their passing and Landing. Kennedy, Gardner and McCrae were outstanding among the forwards.

Stewart opened Club's account with a try which Atkinhead converted. Just before the interval Kennedy went over in the centre but his effort was not converted.

In the second half tries were scored by Stewart, Carruthers and Day—all of which were converted by Atkinhead.

POLICE—Jackson; Dingsdale, Reynolds, Oakley and Taylor; Sullivan and Wall; Rose, Cullinan, Todd; Jenner; Davitt; Wright-Nooth, Dempsey and Innis.

CLUB—Thompson; Carruthers, Day, Atkinhead and Stewart; Charter and Thomson; Hackett, McCrae, Heasman; Gardner, Needham; Davies, Taylor and Kennedy.

Royal Engineers beat Club "A" by a penalty goal and a try (11 pts) to two tries (8 pts.) in another friendly game.

Club were without Clemo, Stout, Lee and Benn and had to call on two Army players and even then they were one short.

Birrell kicked a penalty goal and two tries by Picton, one of which Birrell converted, gave Sappers a 11-0 lead at half time. Hopkins and Godfrey scored unconverted tries for Club.

ITALIANS SCARED OF A.A. GUN FIRE

Italian fighters took part in yesterday's raids on Britain but seemed unwilling to face even anti-aircraft fire.

A number of Italian machines, which appeared to be Albas, small-wing biplanes, were over the south-east coast during the afternoon but were driven out to sea by the anti-aircraft defences.

Two which appeared over one coast town at a height of about 10,000 feet made off over the Channel as gunners got in some accurate bursts near them.

Coming to Shanghai in succession to M. P. Ange, French Consul-General there, who left the city some time ago to take up a new post in Australia, M. Roland Jéguin de Margerie, former First Secretary to the French Embassy in London, arrived in Shanghai on Oct. 23 in s.s. President Coolidge.

M. de Margerie came to Shanghai via the United States, accompanied by his wife and their three children. The new Consul-General was very enthusiastic about his post in Shanghai and said that he was looking forward to his stay here.

The average opening selling rate for the month of October, 1940, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation for demand drafts on London is settled at 14.88.

RACING RESULTS

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Ruby Star 135 (D. H. S. Craven); Shuttlecock 150 (H. J. A. Hearne).

Betting

	Win.	Place
Amber II	130	154
Centre Court	691	667
Maple Star	555	423
Piccadilly Jim	2145	1749
Ruby Star	418	368
Shuttlecock	723	339
Warrego River	2417	1850
	7087	5550

RACE FIVE

Don Black, on the red-hot favourite (Confusion Bay) was contented to let Distinctive Time take the lead up to the Rock when he pushed his mount forward.

On passing the Rock Confusion Bay, running easily, led, followed by Craigavon, Distinctive Time, and Eve of Heaven, which positions were maintained right up to the winning post although Craigavon made a strong attempt to catch up with the leader.

5-1.00 p.m.—Essex Handicap—(One Mile)

	Win.	Place
Mr. T. K. L.'s Confusion Bay, 161 lbs.	(Mr. D. Black) 1	
Mr. J. H. Taggart's Craigavon, 157 lbs.	(Mr. H. C. Pih) 2	
Mr. Li Po Chun's Distinctive Time, 142 lbs.	(Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) 3	
Won by a short head, four lengths between second and third.		
Time: 1.53.		
Parti Mutuel:—		
Winner: \$9.30.		
Places: \$5.20, \$5.40, \$5.80.		
Also ran:—Dunlop Bay 150 lbs. (S. L. Sung); Eve of Heaven 144 (W. H. S. Davis); Gay Star 140 (H. S. Chang); Grethor 140 (O. L. Gregory); Johnner 145 (P. P. Botelho); Conagh 140 (S. T. Yuen).		

Betting

	Win.	Place
Confusion Bay	2748	1744
Craigavon	1742	1153
Distinctive Time	629	550
Dunlop Bay	278	261
Eve of Heaven	131	160
Gay Star	116	110
Grethor	51	35
Johnner	102	160
Conagh	17	40
	5812	4213

RACE SIX

Enjoying a short-lived lead the favourite, Heinz, passed out before the Rock was reached.

Catterick Bridge came up strongly on the outside when coming up the straight to win by three lengths from Dick Turpin with Quick Despatch third, and Sea Urchin fourth.

6-1.30 p.m.—Queenscliff Handicap—(Six Furlongs)

	Win.	Place
Mr. C. L. Gregory's Catterick Bridge, 165 lbs.	(Mr. H. J. A. Hearne) 1	
Mr. A. H. P.'s Dick Turpin, 140 lbs.	(Mr. S. W. Pan) 2	
Mr. Kwok Hin Wang's Quick Despatch, 154 lbs.	(Mr. R. A. Proulx) 3	
Won by three lengths, a short head between second and third.		
Time: 1.21.2.		
Parti Mutuel:—		
Winner: \$17.50.		
Places: \$9.40, \$8.50, \$11.20.		
Also ran:—A Good Time 135 lbs. (P. Y. T. Wei); Colorado Star 140 (L. A. Lewis); Forehand Drive 135 (Tang Man Wa); Grand Allegiance 140 (H. C. Pih); Heinz 145 (D. Black); Longdon 149 (T. W. Chatter); Pocomos 145 (W. H. S. Davis); Pumelo 148 (A. L. Tao); Schmetterling 135 (S. L. Yuen); Sea Urchin 135 (D. H. S. Craven); Strathcarrick 162 (G. Trevorton); Surprise Again 155 (L. B. Chao); Tarzan 145 (Hoo Pak Ming).		

Betting

	Win.	Place
A Good Time	341	290
Catterick Bridge	1527	1016
Colorado Star	51	48
Dick Turpin	78	76
Forehand Drive	23	27
Grand Allegiance	332	248
Heinz	1534	1023
Longdon	41	57
Pocomos	117	111
Pumelo	74	70
Quick Despatch	901	717
Schmetterling	33	72
Sea Urchin	99	80
Strathcarrick	285	274
Surprise Again	385	417
Tarzan	246	291
	6097	5077

RACE SEVEN

Emergency Unit took the lead at the start, closely followed by Boolat Bay with Dawn Star third.

Before the Rock was passed Dawn Star went up to the front, but lost the lead, on the home run, to Boolat Bay. Before the stands were reached Emergency Unit made a final rally but was beaten at the winning post by a neck by Boolat Bay. Rose Flana was third, six lengths behind, and Dawn Star was fourth.

7-4.00 p.m.—Norfolk Handicap—(Second Section—(One Mile))

	Win.	Place
Mr. S. W. Lee's Boolat Bay, 123 lbs.	(Mr. L. S. Star) 1	
Mr. T. Leigh's Emergency Unit, 135 lbs.	(Mr. S. W. Lee) 2	
Mr. Eu Tong Sen's Rose Flana, 161		

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR EVACUEES

The following financial statement was issued to the Press on Saturday:—

In continuation of the statement regarding financial arrangements in connexion with evacuation which was made on Oct. 18 the following further statement is issued for general information.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint an advisory committee to be known as the Evacuation Expenses Committee, with the following personnel:—

Benjamin Wylie, Esq. Chairman; Mrs. A. R. H. Phillips, Member; A. J. C. Taylor, Esq., Member and Secretary.

This Committee has been appointed to advise His Excellency on applications for financial assistance in respect of the maintenance of evacuees in Australia. All information given to the Committee will be treated as strictly confidential and will not be necessarily made available for Government purposes.

In order to get the scheme for financial assistance, which was outlined in the previous statement referred to above, on a working basis with as little delay as possible, it has been decided that after November 25 maintenance assistance from public funds in Australia will cease in all cases where the husband, male parent, or other person normally responsible for the maintenance of evacuees when they are resident in Hongkong, is present in this Colony, except in cases where such husband, parent, or other person has applied to the Evacuation Expenses Committee and has been recommended by that Committee for some degree of financial assistance. In all other cases where the husband, parent or other person is in the Colony it will be presumed that adequate private arrangements for the maintenance of his dependants have been made. This arrangement does not apply to evacuated women or children who have no one in

the Colony.

All women and children who paid their own passages from Hongkong to Australia, or who were detained in Australia owing to the evacuation scheme, will now be allowed to register as official evacuees on the clear understanding that such recognition will place no obligation on this Government in respect of return passages to Hongkong.

In order to enable the Australian Government to provide for all evacuees in the event of communications between Hongkong and Australia being severed, the husbands or other persons responsible for the maintenance of evacuees who are not on the official list, should forward the full names and addresses of their families in Australia to the Accountant, Treasury, Windsor House, so that this information may be passed on to the Australian Government without delay.

A Government notice will appear in the advertisement columns of the local newspapers for the next few days, in which full instructions will be given to husbands, parents and other persons responsible for the maintenance of evacuees in Australia, in regard to the matters dealt with in the above paragraphs.

8-1.00 p.m.—Essex Handicap—(One Mile)

	Win.	Place
Boolat Bay	228	242
Dawn Star	233	178
Emergency Unit	1838	1006
Eve of Hunting	1105	750
Lovely Star	154	159
Oomph	191	200
Rose Flana	1322	1201
Royal Highness	51	72
Scenic View	133	151
Soldier of Britain	245	222
	5500	4181

RACE EIGHT

L. B. Chao rode a well-timed race, on Hughber, to run in winner by a length and a half from Thirty Six.

Allowing Expansion Time to take the lead, with Lancashire Lass and Hillsboro Boy second and third respectively, Mr. Chao urged his mount forward when running into the straight.

Thirty Six was second, with Eve of Folly third and Peaceful View fourth.

8-5.30 p.m.—Sussex Handicap—(Second Section—(Six Furlongs))

	Win.	Place
Mr. Marber's Hughber, 156 lbs.	(Mr. L. B. Chao) 1	
Mr. Numerals' Thirty Six, 161 lbs.	(Mr. S. W. Pan) 2	
Mr. Eve's Eve of Folly, 147 lbs.	(Mr. W. H. S. Davis) 3	
Won by length and a half, a length between second and third.		
Time: 1.27.2.		
Parti Mutuel:—		
Winner: \$18.80.		
Places: \$8.80, \$20.70, \$19.00.		
Also ran:—Expansion Time 149 lbs. (P. Y. T. Wei); Hillsboro Boy 158 (S. L. Sung); Lancashire Lass 152 (D. Black); Peaceful View 146 (H. C. Pih); Potentate 144 (P. P. Botelho); Bob Roy 150 (W. G. Poy); Rose Jane 140 (S. L. Yuen).		

	Win.	Place
Eve of Folly	518	342
Expansion Time	774	412
Hillsboro Boy	520	107
Hughber	2420	1228
Lancashire Lass	2489	1599
Peaceful View	1182	691
Potentate	441	351
Rob Roy	286	179
Rose Jane	72	56
Thirty Six	408	302
	9190	5373

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URBAN COUNCIL
MEETING

The Urban Council is holding its fortnightly meeting at the Urban Council Chamber, Post Office Building, tomorrow at 5.15 p.m. and the following is the business of the day:—

1. Application for a food factory (A) licence for No. 31, Pilekem Street, ground floor.
2. Regular Returns:—
 - (a) Rat return for the weeks ending Oct. 12 and 19, 1940.
 - (b) Health Bulletin of Eastern Ports from the Hon. Director of Medical Services for the weeks ending Oct. 12 and 19, 1940.
 - (c) Health Return from the League of Nations, Eastern Bureau, for the weeks ending Sept. 28 and Oct. 5, 1940.
 - (d) Mortality Return for the weeks ending Sept. 7 and 14, 1940.

Tenders are invited for the construction of sailing junks for the Urban Council and for the erection of manure bins at Kennedy Town Cattle Depot.

ARRIVALS

Arrivals by a Dutch vessel on Saturday were Mr. P. L. Schotel, from Batavia, and Mr. A. Madar, from Manila.

Arrivals yesterday by the N.Y.K. liner Yamata Maru from Manila were Mr. Lawrence Leong, Mr. Oldrich Leblock, Mr. Francisco Puigjaner, Mr. Saptaran Singh, Mr. J. V. Sahiwala, and Mr. Pakhar Singh. Arrivals from Kobe by the same vessel were Mr. M. Taketo and Mr. S. Terayama.

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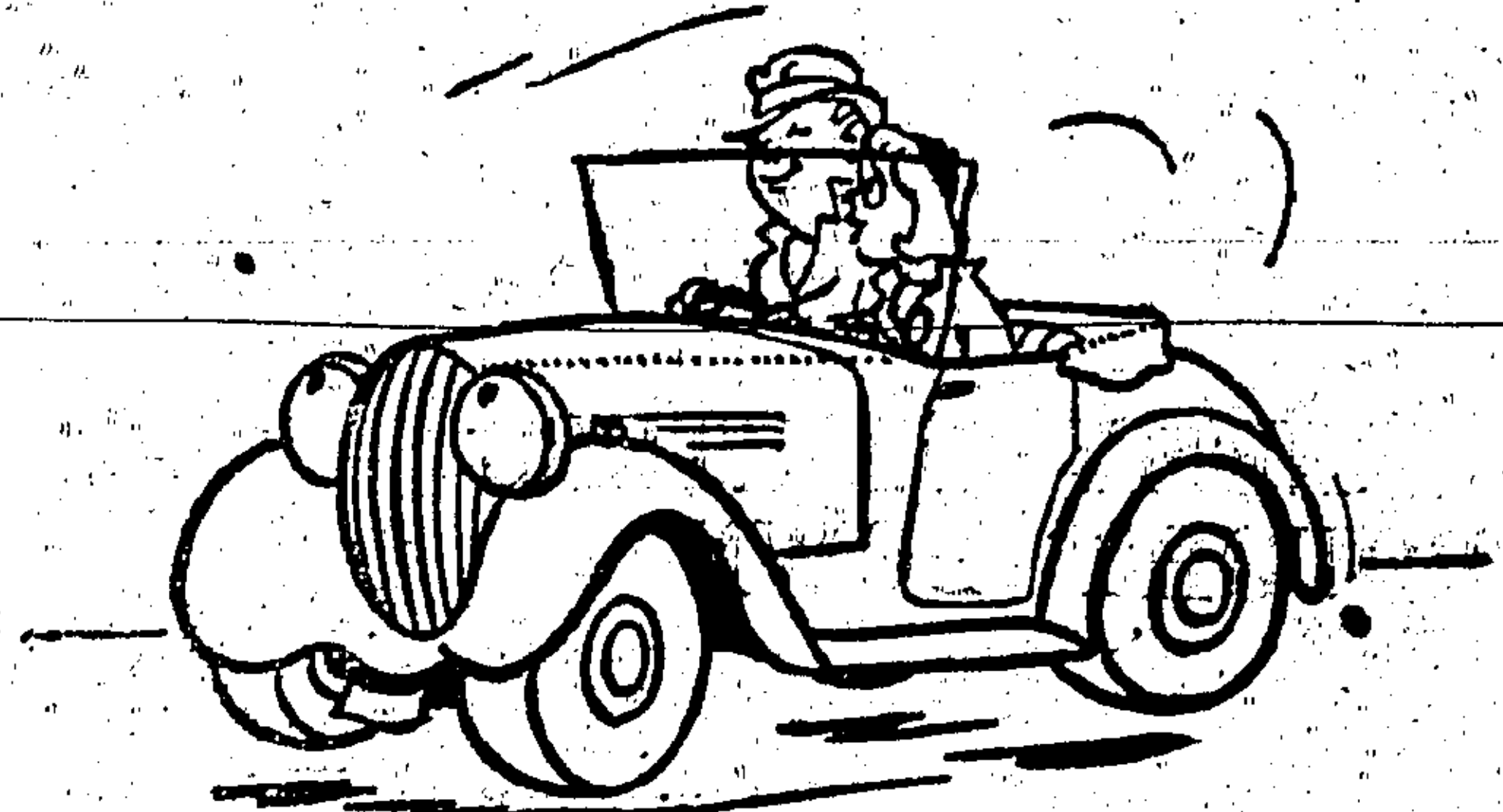
The Hongkong Refugees and Social Welfare Council gratefully acknowledges the following donations received during the month of October: Chinese Customs, Macao \$12.80; Mr. C. Y. Wong \$3; Staff and Students, St. Stephen's Girls College \$30; Five Sympathisers \$85; Anonymous \$5; Foreign Auxiliary contribution towards office expenses \$25.

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UNIQUE COLONY OF MINE WORKERS

Nearly a hundred people, more by force of circumstance than by choice, are creating a little world of their own in a four-acre area in Gunong Datoh off Kopisan, on the outskirts of Ipoh. Mostly of the labouring class, these men are working in a mine which is unique.

It is believed to be the only mine of its kind in Malaya, being shut off from the outer world except by a natural tunnel approximately half a mile in length.

The mine nestles in a valley surrounded by four walls of sheer cliffs with its labyrinth of crevices and other forms of vegetation in capping the towering summits, hundreds of feet above.

Providing the only link, the tunnel which nature has carved through the base of a range of hills is a rugged and treacherous passage with its winding path and a stream of murky water flowing out from the mine.

An attap hut is situated close to the entrance of the tunnel which two jagas guard.

Not many know of the existence of the mine and its labourers.

But to a hundred labourers this dreary area is bread and butter for them. Daily in and out they pass through this hazardous corridor.

About half of the four acres in the valley is used by the mine while the remainder is waste land.

The kapala on being asked as to how the equipment could be transported in gave the reply that timber, planks and other articles were dragged along the surface of the stream. Parts of engines were dismantled and fuel and other smaller articles were carried in.

In reply to a question about the things necessary for the functioning of the mine, the kapala said that there were fresh sources of water from the hills and the tunnel served as an outlet for the waste water.

In a kongsi, and in the caves of the hills, the labourers find refuge and shelter but the women coolies make trips to and fro daily through the tunnel.

Large stocks of food and provisions are stored as most of the inhabitants of this queer valley seldom leave their homes after working hours. For weeks and even months on end they live far away from the humdrum of city life.

But once in a way, generally during a festival, they leave their world of toil for a day or two. (Malaya Tribune).

LOSS TO STORED POULTRY

The deterioration of stored dressed poultry in the forms of freezer burn, or pockmarking as it is generally called, and loss of bloom is caused by a slow drying of the exposed surfaces of the frozen bird.

In preventing this loss in appearance and saleability and the loss due to shrinkage, two points are to be considered:

First, the material used for covering the bird whether used as an individual wrap or as a liner for the poultry box must be moisture proof or highly resistant to the passage of moisture, and second, the joints or openings of the material must be closed as effectively as possible, otherwise most of the value of the moisture-resistant liner will be lost.

The second requirement is the more difficult to accomplish in commercial practice. Sealing the joints is naturally the ideal plan but it is not always economically feasible.

To aid poultrymen, the Marketing Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture has drawn up specifications for lining boxes to reduce freezer burn.

These specifications are given with information on paper liners and methods for lining boxes, in a pamphlet, "Dressed Poultry" which may be obtained from the Publicity and Extension Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Crate Fattening Makes Best Poultry

If proof were needed, which it is not, the recent analysis on finishing chickens for market, based on experiments at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, emphasised the fact that crate fattening of chickens at roasting age produces the best market stock, that pen fattening is a reasonably good substitute where crate fattening may not be easily possible, and that killing birds directly off range should be avoided, if at all possible, except with capons which are usually reasonably fat on range.

It is only the exceptional bird which is sufficiently fat to make top market grades without some fattening treatment, says H. S. Gutteridge, Division of Poultry Husbandry, Dominion Experimental Farm Service.

Recent tests show that very few birds at roaster age are sufficiently fat to enter the top grades without some fattening treatment. Birds which were fattened at that stage gained three times as much during a two-week period as did a comparable group left on range.

Not only was this the case but the greater gain was made on approximately the same feed consumption (exclusive of the liquid skim milk fed in fattening) indicating that the birds on range used up a much greater proportion of their feed to maintain activity and body temperature both of which added nothing to their ultimate market value.

GAIN THREE TIMES
While the gain was three times greater for the crate fattened birds, its value was approximately five times greater owing to the fact that the grading of the crate fattened birds was greatly improved bringing a higher price per pound for the weight gained.

In the final analysis, the profit due to crate fattening in this experiment was approximately 24 cents per bird, after feed costs had been deducted. The cost of the fattening crates and of additional labour must be deducted from this figure to arrive at an exact assay of crate fattening.

In crate feeding, the birds are confined to simply constructed fattening crates, details of which may be obtained on request from the Poultry Husbandry Division. Best results from crate feeding are obtained from feeding a mixture of finely-ground home-grown grain or finely-ground grains. All feeds are given wet, that is, mixed to a poultice-like batter with butter-milk or skim-milk. The best fattening grains are oat groats, white or yellow corn, buckwheat, wheat, oats, and barley in the order named. The first three are outstanding, with wheat intermediate, and oats and barley least satisfactory.

FIBRE FLAX SEED EXPORT

According to a report by the Agricultural Supplies Board, negotiations carried on with the Government of Northern Ireland have resulted in an agreement by the Government to take all Canadian surplus fibre flax seed of the 1940 crop at the following prices: Certified No. 1 seed, \$8 per bushel; No. 1 seed, \$4.25 per bushel; No. 2 seed, \$4 per bushel.

These prices represent an advance of 50 cents per bushel for Certified No. 1 seed. The prices for the other grades mentioned are the same as those paid for seed of the 1939 crop.

Betting Duty To Be Raised Jan. 1, 1941

The Government Gazette publishes the Draft Bill of an Ordinance to amend the Betting Duty Ordinance, 1931.

Be it enacted by the Governor of Hongkong with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Betting Duty Amendment Ordinance, 1940.

2. The Proviso to section 2 of the Betting Duty Ordinance, 1931, is repealed and the following Proviso is substituted therefor—

Provided that not less than eighty-nine per cent, or in the case of a club organising the race not less than seventy-eight per cent, of the total contributions or subscriptions, after deduction of the duty, shall be devoted to prizes for the subscribers.

3. Section 6 (2) of the Betting Duty Ordinance, 1931, is amended by the substitution of the words "ten per cent." for the words "five per cent."

4. This Ordinance shall come into force on the 1st day of January, 1941.

OBJECTS AND REASONS

1. The object of this Bill is to raise the betting duty on cash-sweep tickets from five per cent. to ten per cent.

2. Clause 3 of the Bill provides for that change in section 6 (2) of the principal Ordinance, No. 40 of 1931.

3. This raising of the duty involves reconsideration of the proviso to section 6 (2) of the principal Ordinance which enacted that not less than ninety per cent, or in the case of a club organising the race, not less than eighty per cent, of the total contributions or subscriptions, after deduction of the duty, should be devoted to prizes for the subscribers.

4. The Taxation Committee recommended that any increase in betting duty should be borne entirely by the betting public, and to achieve this result as nearly as possible clause 2 of the Bill substitutes "eighty-nine" for "ninety" and "seventy-eight" for "eighty" in the proviso to section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

5. The changed figures will enable the clubs as well as the Government to derive some benefit, but there is nothing in the new proviso to prevent the clubs devoting to prizes for the public a higher percentage if they so decide.

6. Clause 4 of the Bill provides that the amendments shall come into force on January 1, 1941.

TIENTSIN EXPORTERS HOPEFUL

TIENTSIN, Nov. 3. (Reuter)—Since the imposition of regulations governing "light industry" in Tientsin, including furs, exporters to the United States maintain they have been advised by the local authorities to await a decision which will be made as the result of examination of cargoes on October 21.

Exporters claim they are unable to ship the cargoes. They are not losing hope entirely, however, since unofficial shipping reports indicate that foreign firms in which Japanese interests are concerned already have effected shipments which are estimated to total from mid-October U.S.\$50,000.

In respect of fur exporters, they are hopeful that representations on their behalf in Tokyo will lead to their extrication from their present predicament.

Meanwhile, it is understood, that Col. Ghimzu and Capt. Kitazato recently went to Peking and Kalgan and are returning next week after investigating merchants' stocks valued at U.S.\$750,000.

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HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	BUYER	SELLER	SALES	NOMINAL
SATURDAY 2 NOV.							
Banks							
...	\$1215	H.K. Banks	\$1230
...	287	Do. (Col. Reg.)	287
...	282	Do. (Lon. Reg.)	282
...	284	Chartered Banks	284
...	284	Mercantile Bks. "A"	284
...	284	Mercantile Bks. "C"	284
...	284	Bank of East Asia	284
...	284	N. C. & S. Banks	284
Insurance							
...	170	Canton Insurance	170
...	170	Indo-China Insurance	170
...	170	Underwriters	170
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Shipping							
...	170	Douglases	170
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...	170	Indo-China (Def.)	170
...	170	Indo-China (Prof.)	170
...	170	Shells	170
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Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.							
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...	170	Providers	170
...	170	H.K. Docks (Old)	170
...	170	H.K. Docks (New)	170
...	170	Shanghai Docks	170
Mining							
...	170	Kailans	170
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Lands, Hotels and Buildings							
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...	170	Shanghai Lands	170
...	170	H.K. Realities	170
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Cotton Mills							
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...	170	Zoong Sings (S.)	170
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Public Utilities							
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...	170	Peak Trams (new)	170
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...	170	China Light (C)	170
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...	170	H.K. Electric (New)	170
...	170	Macao Electric (Old)	170
...	170	Macao Electric (New)	170
...	170	Sandakan Light	170
...	170	Telephones (old)	170
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Industrials							
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FOREIGN MARKETS & QUOTATIONS

BANKS

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

NOVEMBER 2, 1940.

On London:—	
Telegraphic Transfer 1/2 7/8	
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 7/8	
Credits 4 months sight	
On Shanghai:—	
On demand 370	
On Singapore:—	
On demand 52 3/4	
On Japan:—	
On demand 106	
On India:—	
Telegraphic Transfer 82 1/2	
and demand 82 1/2	
On New York:—	
Bank Bills, on demand 22 3/4	
Credits, 60 days sight 23 5/8	
On Batavia:—	
On demand 43 3/8	
On Paris:—	
Bank Bills, on demand Nom.	
Credits 4 months sight Nom.	
On Saigon:—	
On demand 99	
On Manila:—	
On demand 45 1/2	
On Bangkok:—	
On demand 149 1/2	
On Sterling Notes:—	
Bank Buying Rate ... Now.	
Bar Silver per oz 23 1/2	

Market Report

FROM ROZA BROS.

Saturday, November 2.
The price for Ready Silver was unchanged yesterday at 23 1/2 but the Forward rate dropped 1/16 to 23 7/16. Silver advances reported a small business done. The market was steady but quiet. American Silver was quoted at 34 3/4 for Spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 402 1/2. New York/London was quoted at 403 3/4.

MARKET

STERLING

There were sellers at 1/23 1/32 November/January, buyers at 1/3 for Cash.

U.S. DOLLARS

Sellers were quoted at 23 3/16 for Cash and 23 1/4 for Forward, buyers at 23 5/16 for Cash.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Business was arranged early in the morning at 379 1/2 and also 380. The market closed with sellers at 380, buyers at 381 1/2.

SHANGHAI MARKET

Sterling opened with sellers for Spot at 36 1/4 and towards the close the market was a shade easier with sellers at 35 5/8 for Spot. U.S. Dollars sellers were quoted at the opening at 6 1/8 for Spot. Subsequently the rate rose to 6 5/32 and at the close sellers were quoted at 6 3/32 for Spot.

Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, Nov. 2 (Reuter).

Official T.T. Rates		
	Opening	Closing
London	0/3-13/16	0/3-13/16
New York	5-7/8	5-7/8
Japan	25	25
India	21-1/8 N	21-1/8 N
Hongkong	25-1/4	25-1/4

Sterling

Sellers		
	Opening	Closing
Spot	0/3-6 1/8	0/3-6 1/8
Nov.	0/3-6 1/8	0/3-6 1/8
Dec.	0/3-6 1/8	0/3-6 1/8
U.S. Dollars		
Spot	\$6-1/8	\$6-3/32
Nov.	6-1/8	6-3/32
Dec.	6-3/32	6-1/16
Market:—Uncertain.		

Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, Nov. 2 (Reuter).
T.T. on Japan, 81-1/4.

H.K. STOCK EXCHANGE

Market was dull.

BUYERS		
	Price	Quantity
Union Ins.	\$387	
Provident	\$440	
Lands	\$30.25	
Yau-mat Feries	\$22.25	
Electric (Old)	\$34.75	
Electric (New)	\$36.50	
Telephones	\$23	
Cements	\$15.75	
Ropes	\$8.10	
Watsons	\$8.90	
Entertainments	\$8.50	

SELLERS		
	Price	Quantity
Yau-mat Feries	\$22.25	
Cements	\$16	
Ropes	\$8.35	
Watsons	\$9.20	

SALES		
	Price	Quantity
Douglases	\$130	

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COMMODITY BROKERS
STOCK EXCHANGE BUILDING
HONGKONGCOMMODITY MARKET REVIEW
(FROM PAYNE & CO.)

NEW YORK, November 2, 1940.

SINGAPORE RUBBER		Previous	Nov. 2	Change
		Close	Opening	
buyers		38-7/8		
S P O T		37 cts.		
JAN-MARCH		35-1/8		
APRIL-JUNE				

LONDON RUBBER		Previous	Today's	Change
		close	buyers	
S P O T		11-3/4		
DECEMBER		11-13/16		
JANUARY		11-7/8		
FEBRUARY		11-5/8		
APRIL-JUNE		11-13/16		

NEW YORK COTTON: Trade shorts were good buyers of near positions. Textiles markets were firm and active.

CHICAGO WHEAT: The undertone was firm. Trading was moderate, with some disposition to await the outcome of the election on November 5.

NEW YORK STOCKS: Previous close, 134.41; Today's close, 134.85; Change, up 44.

NEW YORK COMMODITY MARKET
(REUTER'S SERVICE)

	High	Low	Prev. Close	Today's Close	Change
New York Cotton, Dec.	9.62	9.57	9.55	9.60	.05 up
New York Rubber, Dec.	—	—	20.35b	20.30b	.05 off
Chicago Wheat, Dec.	84 1/2	84 1/8	84	83 1/2	1/2 off
Chicago Corn, Dec.	59 1/2	59 1/8	59 1/2	59 1/8	1/8 up
New York Hides, Dec.	12.47	12.45	12.50	12.45b	.05 off
NEW YORK COTTON					
Dec. (New contract)	9.55/56	9.58/58	9.60/60	9.60	.05 up
January	9.47 N	unquoted	9.50 N	9.50	.03 up
March	9.55/55	9.57/58	9.58/58	9.58	.03 up
May	9.45/45	9.47/47	9.49/49	9.49	.04 up
July	9.25/25	9.27/27	9.30/30	9.30	.05 up
October	8.75/77	8.79/79	8.80/80	8.80	.03 up
Spot	9.57 N	—	9.63 N	9.63	.06 up

Total sales Friday—36,300 bales.

NEW YORK RUBBER					
December	20.35b	20.40a	20.30b/39a	.05	off
January	20.10b	unquoted	20.05b	.05	off
March	19.95b	19.85b/20.00a	19.98b/20.00a	.03	up
May	19.82b	unquoted	19.75b/80a	.07	off

Total sales—Nil.

CHICAGO WHEAT				
December	84/84½	84/83½	84/83½	½ off
May	83½/83½	83½/83½	83½/83½	½ up
Friday's sales:—9,280,000 bushels.				

Friday's sales—9,280,000 bushels.

December	59½/59½	59½/59½	59½/59½	"	½ up
May	60½/60½	61½/61	61/61		½ up
WINNIPEG WHEAT					
December	71½		71½		unch

NEW YORK HIDES				
December	1250/50	1245b/64a	1245b	.05 off

March	12.25/25	12.30b/35a	12.21b	.04 off
Total sales for the day:—23 contracts.				
NY Official Silver	34-3/4		unquoted	
NY-London Cross Rate	4.03-3/4		4.03-3/4	

Total sales for the day—23 contracts.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE		LONDON METALS EXCHANGE	
London Nov 1 (Reuters)		London Nov 1 (Reuters)	

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

War Loan, 3½% (Red. after 1952)	101½	Jap. 6% Ster. Loan, 1924	21
anton-K'lon Rly. 5% Chinese 4½% Gold Loan 1898 (Brit. Issue)	6	Ger. 7% Intl. Loan, 1924	5½
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	30	Chartered Bank	6½
Chin. 4½% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	35	H.K. & S'hai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	62
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	44	H.K. & S'hai Bank (Col. Reg.)	67
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	12	Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	14/-
Chinese 6½% Ster. Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	18	Chosen Corporation	4/-
Chin. Imperial Rly. 5% Loan	9	Pekin Syndicate	2/-
Honan Rly. 5%	41	S'hai Elec. Constr. Co.	15/-
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (L.P. N.Y. Issue)	10	S'hai Waterworks "A"	13½
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	12	Union Insurance	20
Lung Tsing & U. Hai Rly. 5% 1913	8	Gula Kalumpung Rubber	13/9
S'hai-N'King Rly. 5%	12	S.-A. Tob. (bearer)	83/1½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	8	Mercantile Bank	10½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (German Stpd.)	8	Dunlop Rubber	30/3
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	8	Bristol Aeroplane	9/7½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	8	Imperial Chemical Ind.	27/4½
		United Steel	19/10½
		Woolworths	57/6
		Maraman Investments	7/6
		Western Holdings	8/8
		Sub-Nigel	157/8
		Thell. Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	34/4½
		Nat. Defence Bonds, 3%	10½
		London-Midlands-Soot. tish, 3%	13½
		Great Western Rail-way, 3%	32½
		Nat. Bank of India, 3%	26
		—bid.	1 ex div.

LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

London, Nov. 1 (Reuter).

Tin, Standard, Cash, Middle

Price, 2250-1/8

Tin, Standard, 3 months, Middle

Price, 2259-7/8

Market easier.

Jap. 6% Ster. Loan, 1924	21
Ger. 7% Intl. Loan, 1924	5 1/2
Chartered Bank	6 1/2
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	62
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Col. Reg.)	67
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	14-1/2
Chosen Corporation	4-1/2
Pekin Syndicate	2-1/2
S'hai Elec. Constr. Co.	15-1/2
S'hai Waterworks "A"	13 1/2
Union Insurance	20
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	13/9
B.A. Tob. (bearer)	83/14
Mercantile Bank	10/3
Dunlop Rubber	30/3
Bristol Aeroplane	9/7 1/2
Imperial Chemical Ind.	27/4
United Steel	19/10 1/2
Woolworths	57/6
Maraman Investments	7/6
Western Holdings	8/0
Sub-Nigel	157/8
Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	34/4 1/2
Nat. Defence Bonds, 3%	10 1/2
London-Midlands-Scot. (tish)	3%
Great Western Rail- way, 3%	32 1/2
Nat. Bank of India, 3%	20
—bid.	1—ex. div.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

QUOTATION

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

NOVEMBER 3, 1940.

STOCKS		Last Sale	Nov. 2
Adams Express	6 1/2		
Alleghany Steel Co.	24 1/2		
Allis Chalmers	37 1/2		
Aluminium Ltd.	30*		
Amer. Can.	89 1/2		
American Cyanamid B.	36 1/2		
Amer. & Foreign Power	1 1/2		
Amer. Locomotive	16 1/2		
Amer. Metals Co.	17 1/2		
Amer. Radiator	7 1/2		
Amer. Rolling Mill	16 1/2		
Amer. S'ing and R'ing Co.	43 1/2		
Amer. Sugar Refining	44		
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	165 1/2		
Amer. Tobacco "B"	7 1/2		
Amer. Waterworks	10 1/2		
Anacosta Copper	25		
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	17 1/2		
Aviation Corp.	5 1/2		
Baldwin Locomotive	17 1/2		
Baltimore & Ohio	4 1/2		
Barber Asphalt Co.	10 1/2		
Barnsdall Oil	9 1/2		
Bendix Aviation	33 1/2		
Bethlehem Steel	88 1/2		
Bliss & Co.	14 1/2		
Boeing Airplane Co.	17 1/2		
Borg-Warner	20 1/2		
Briggs Mfg.	24 1/2		
Budd M'facturing Corp.	5		
Canadian Pacific R'way	34		
Case, J.I.	53		
Celanese	27 1/2		
Chesapeake & Ohio	42 1/2		
Chrysler Corp.	83 1/2		
Columbia Gas & Elec.	6 1/2		
Commercial Credit Co.	32		
Com. & Southern (Ord.)	1 1/2		
Consolidated Edison	26 1/2		
Consolidated Oil	6		
Continental Can	38 1/2		
Continental Oil	18 1/2		
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152.80	111.54	30	Industrials	134.41	135.03	134.85	.41 up
32.67	22.16	20	Bails	29.23	29.24	29.10	.14 up
38.45	18.03	20	Utilities	32.59	32.45	32.15	.34 up
90.61	32.06	40	Bonds	80.22	80.25	80.20	.05 up
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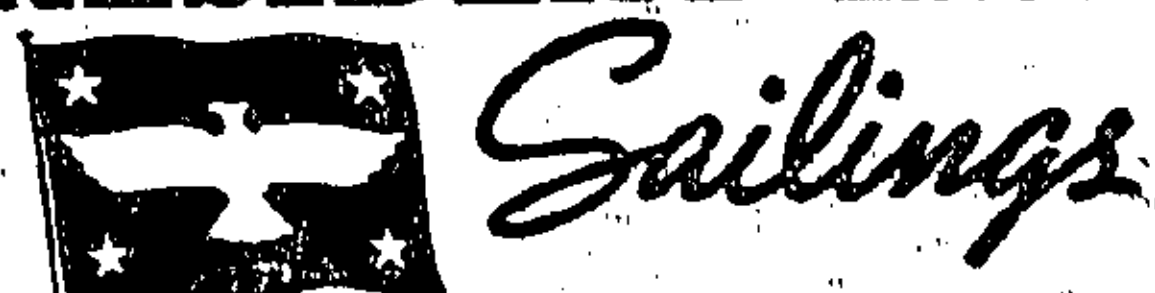
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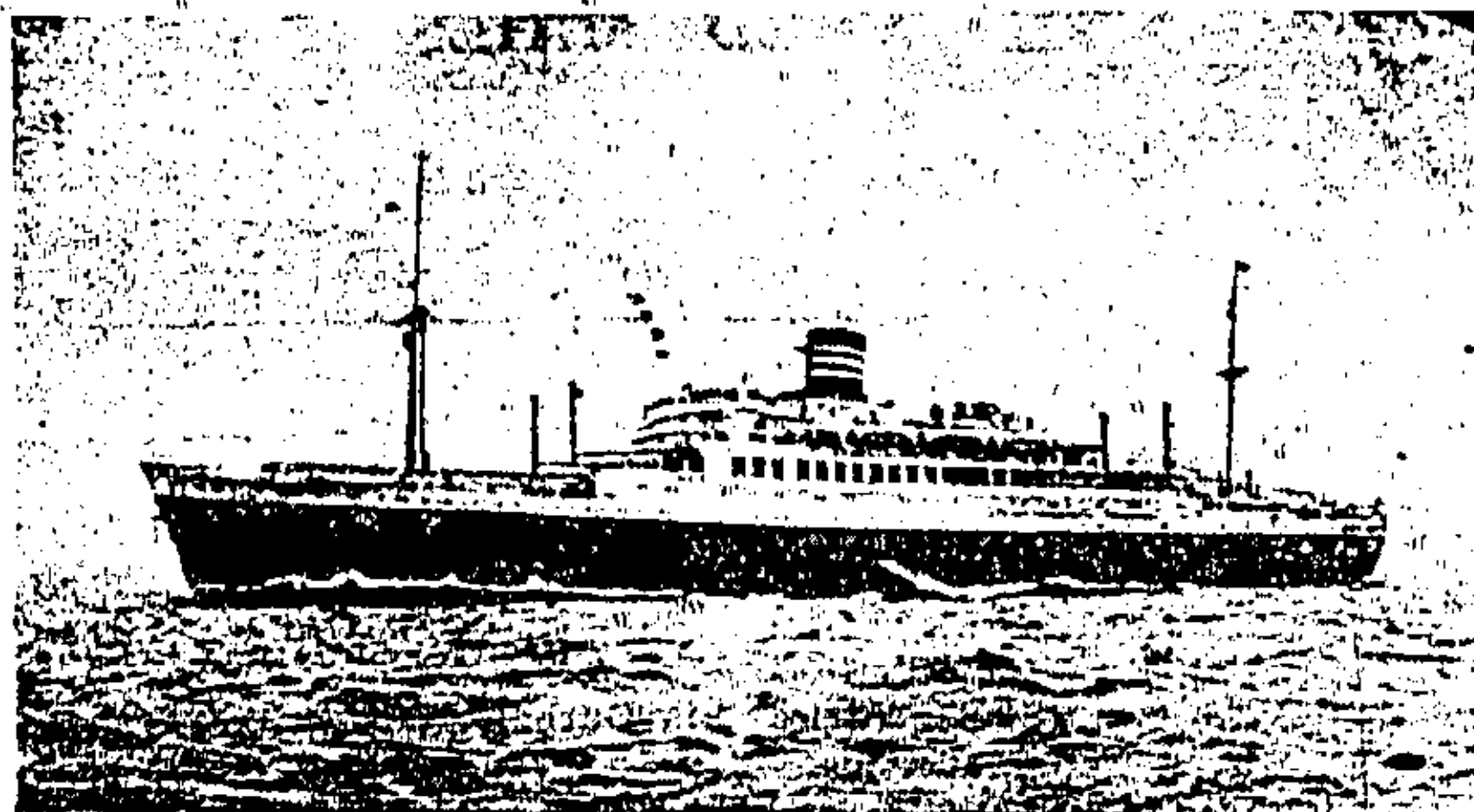
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The postal services between Hongkong and Shanghai are similarly affected. The explanation why a Shanghai mail would be delayed for more than ten days is that the censors would hold up a whole bag of mails in case one suspected mail is found in the bag.

WEATHER REPORT

Royal Observatory, Hongkong.

10 a.m., November 3.

Barometer, (at sea level), 29.91 ins.

Temperature, 74 F.

Humidity, 89 per cent.

Wind Direction, E.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 4.

Temperature: maximum yesterday, 78 F.

Temperature: minimum last night, 72 F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th today, 1.09 ins.

Total rainfall since January 1st 116.70 ins.

Against an average of, 82.57 ins.

Sunset tonight, 5.45 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow, 6.29 a.m.

4 p.m., Nov. 3.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.83 ins.

Temperature, 76 F.

Humidity, 89 per cent.

Wind Direction, E.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 4.

Maximum temperature, 78 F.

Minimum temperature, 72 F.

Rainfall, nil.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 4 to 10 Nov. 1940.

Day of Week	Date	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
		Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Mon.	4	h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
		13 32	5 2	08 25	1 5
		23 46	7 5	17 12	4 5
Tues.	5	14 45	5 0	07 20	1 9
		24 59	7 4	16 15	4 4
Wed.	6	05 28	7 1	08 22	2 2
		15 05	5 0	18 28	4 2
Thurs.	7	01 58	9 8	09 30	2 5
		17 24	5 3	20 00	5 1
Fri.	8	03 00	8 1	10 30	2 6
		18 20	5 5	22 40	5 0
Sat.	9	04 35	6 9	11 22	2 4
		19 02	5 8	00 05	4 5
Sun.	10	05 01	5 8	12 06	2 9
		19 20	6 1	12 06	2 9

**GIRLS RESCUED
BY POLICE**

When officials boarded a ship in the harbour last week they found on board three girls of the ages of 18, 19 and three.

They were in the charge of women who, it has been since learned, were taking the two elder ones to Singapore to enter a brothel.

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**TIENTSIN CHINESE
CONSTABLES GO ON
STRIKE**

TIENTSIN, Nov. 2 (Reuter)—The volunteers were called out in Tientsin on Friday night to patrol the British Concession as Chinese constables and special police watchmen refused to go on duty at 5 o'clock to relieve previous details.

It was unconfirmably reported that this was the result of a strike movement which had been gradually gathering momentum, reaching its climax in the afternoon.

It is believed the strikers desire better wages and possibly the dismissal of certain officers.

The Concession displayed its usual calm despite the unexpected development.

It was learned that there are a number of Chinese constables who are opposed to the strike. They are willing to continue work though they say they are being threatened.

The strike occurred without any previous notice of demands. Two divisions of constables from London Road station are affected but it is thought possible others will walk out unless the conference seeking a settlement is successful.

CHAIRMAN CHERRED

During the meeting Mr. James Turner, Chairman of the British Municipal Council, addressed the strikers in Chinese. They applauded his remarks.

Mr. Turner conferred with Mr. J. S. Chwang, Vice-Chairman of the Council.

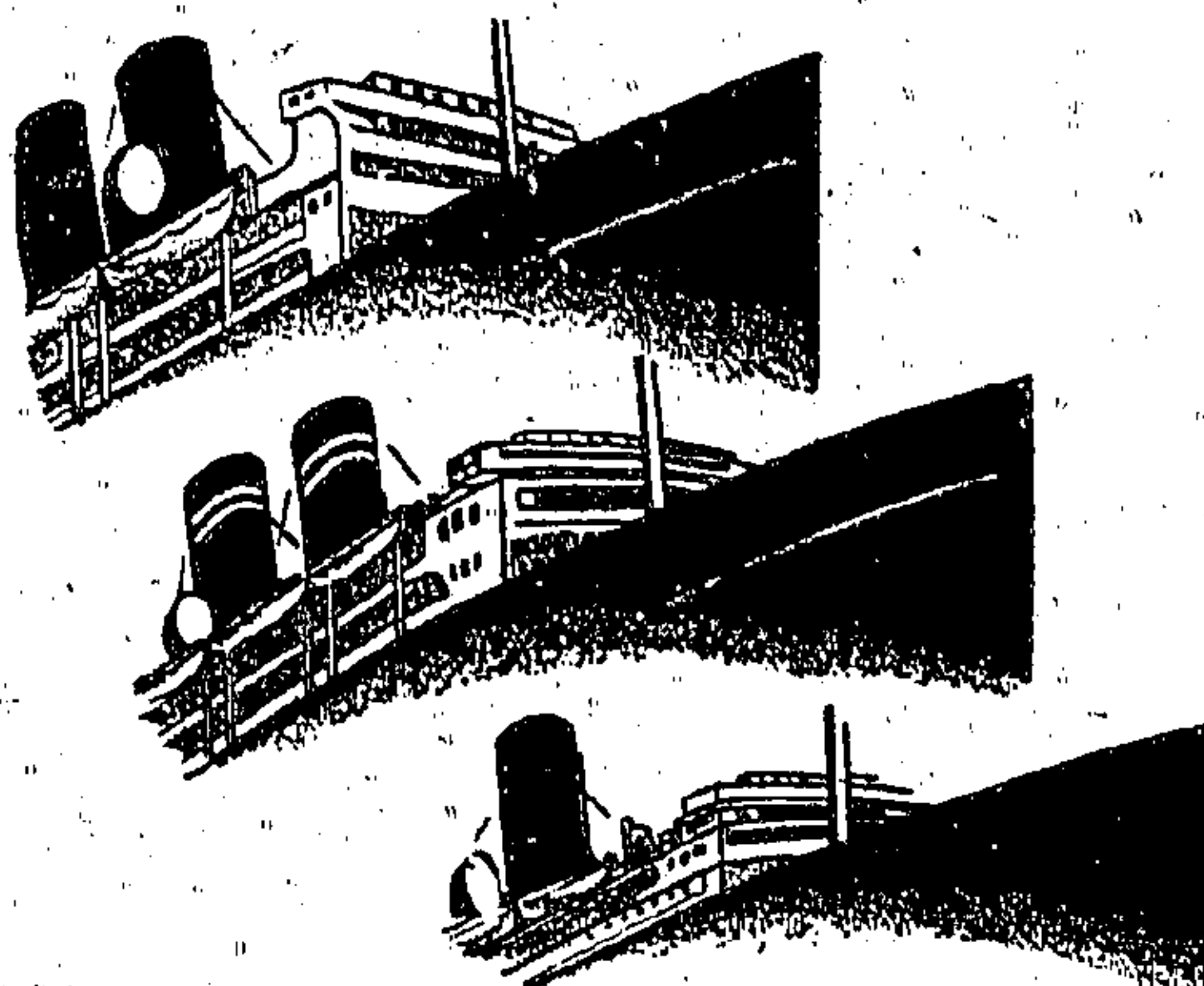
Nature of the strikers' demands has not been announced. It is believed the instigator was a man acting as liaison officer of the Hain Min Hui. (New People's Party).

Crowds, including the families of strikers, milled outside London Road police station while the negotiations were proceeding.

Mr. H. Denis, Chief of Police, said: "Police sergeants and N.C.O.'s are not involved and there is hope of a settlement as long as they do not get out of hand."

FIREMEN CARRY ON

Immediately after his statement the fire alarm sounded and the fire brigade turned out in force to discover it was a false alarm. No sooner had they returned to the station when they were again called out to the opposite section of the Concession by another false alarm. The fire brigade and ambulance services are not involved in the strike.



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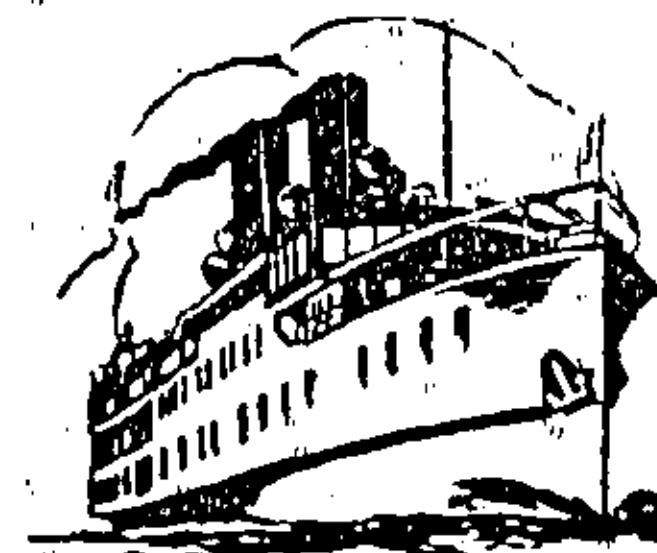
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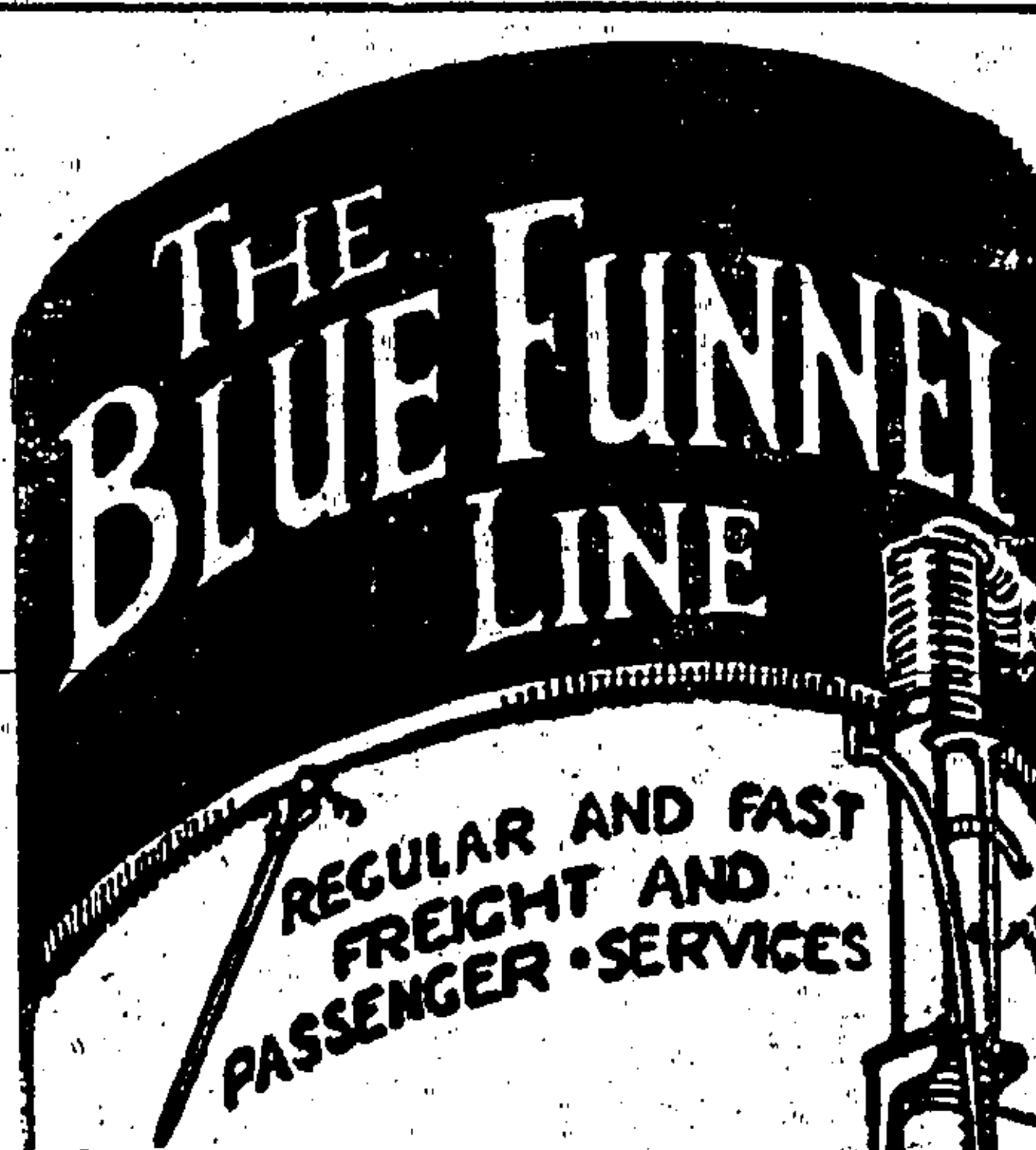
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SWEEPING DEFEAT OF A. N. OTHER XI IN HOCKEY ASSCN. TOURNAMENT: NOMADS OVERCOME KHALSA 3-0

Narrow Victory For Kumaon Rifles Against C.B.A.

The Association Hockey Tournament opened yesterday morning with a sweeping defeat of the A. N. Other XI by Police "A" by 5-0, and a win by the odd goal in three for the Kumaon Rifles against Central British Association.

But the first surprise of the Tournament came with the second game on the programme at Boundary Street, when Nomads overcame Khalsa Sikh Dhiwan by the good margin of three goals to nil. The Royal Corps of Signals held Club de Recreio scoreless well into the second half at King's Park, but a hat-trick by J. Fonseca in the concluding few minutes settled the issue beyond any doubt.

KUMAONS IN FORM

C.B.A. met the Kumaons on the Central British School ground, and did well to hold a team that was particularly up on form, and in their element on a heavy ground after the night's rain.

Led by F. R. Kermani, the Shanghai Recreation Club player, the C.B.A. attack held the Kumaons on even terms and M. Dunne scored off a short corner to draw first blood.

Kumaons evened the score through Partaub Singh before the close of the half, and the same player netted again in the concluding half. Playing on the offensive most of the way, with the half-back line always well up with the forwards, the Kumaons were unlucky not to have done better.

The C.B.A. defence rallied well to this, and N. Whitley, especially, did some grand work at right-back.

The team:—C.B.A.—T. Lockhart; N. B. M. Whitley, G. Ainslie; D. S. Blake, T. S. D. Whitley, B. Ure; D. T. Smith, E. Fowler, F. R. Kermani, M. Dunne and F. Fowler.

KUMAONS:—Sher Singh; Gusein Singh, Jem G. Singh; Hanashadut Singh, Krishan Singh and Kishan Singh; Kuwar Singh, Sher Singh, Nerran Singh, Partaub Singh and another.

POLICE "A" TOO GOOD

Police "A" were too good for the A. N. Other XI. On paper, the A. N. Others, who fielded no mean eleven, could well have been expected to do better than go down by a 5-0 margin, but something seemed to be essentially wrong with their forwards.

Lt. J. P. Gunner played a cool game at left-back and was well supported by Jordan. Kempton excelled at right-half and Waldron gave a creditable display at pivot.

Police proved to be especially strong in the forward line. Brown, only recently moved up from the half-backs was excellent at left-wing, while Teja Singh and Jasbir Singh were also seen to advantage in the attack. Hayward played a good game in the half-back line.

Jasbir Singh and Howlett scored in the first half, and Teja Singh, Jasbir Singh and Howlett in the second. The game was played at Boundary Street.

The teams:—POLICE:—Naranjan Singh; Blackburn, Man Singh; Leslie, Gough, Hayward; Teja Singh, Howlett, Jasbir Singh, Parker and Brown.

A. N. OTHER XI.—V. M. Benwell; Jordan, Lt. J. P. Gunner; Kempton, Waldron, Spence; Macey, E. R. A. Gemmell, Tresson, McGee and R. A. Bates.

NOMADS UPSET KHALSA

Nomads properly upset the Khalsa XI at Boundary Street when they scored the only three goals of the game in an encounter that saw the losing side represented by the cream of local Indian civilian hockey talent. The only absentee of importance from the Khalsa side was Gurbachan Singh.

The game was even in a way and saw some very hectic moments. Khalsa could have profited by the sound display at pivot of M. H. Hassan, but beyond the two wingers, Karmindar Singh and Jangeer Singh, the forward line did not give an adept display at finding the ball.

A. E. P. Guest, the former Radio player, was very sound at right-back, but the rest of the defence did not come up to expectations.

Nomads, who did not seem to have any really outstanding player in the attack, gave full credence to the old story that a team playing always the same set of men will in due course triumph over itself. They opened the score some

10 minutes from the bully-off through R. J. Reed and hung on to this slender advantage right through the middle stages of the game.

In the last 15 minutes, Peter Rull suddenly made an appearance to tally a second goal for Nomads, and Khalsa were properly defeated when B. Xavier netted a third goal. R. Xavier, at right-back, was about the most outstanding player for the winners.

Both this game, and the one before it were considerably spoiled by the poor state of the ground.

(The teams:—

NOMADS:—F. Soares; R. Xavier, H. Soares, A. Xavier, R. J. Reed, H. Gubbay; R. M. da Silva, J. H. Franco, S. A. Reed, P. Rull and B. Xavier.

KHALSA:—Makhan Singh; A. E. P. Guest, K. Singh; Bhag Singh, M. H. Hassan, M. Singh; Karmindar Singh, Avtar Singh, Pyara Singh, Jaggeet Singh and Jangeer Singh.

SIGNALS TRY HARD

Signals did their best at King's Park to keep Recreio from scoring, and a succession of good saves by Dove, who gave a splendid display between the sticks, kept the game a scoreless draw well into the second half.

The first goal turned the tide. Dove was extremely unlucky as a spinning ball, shooting out from among a scramble of players in front of goal, whirled past him and into the net. The goal, though it was difficult to see whose stick it came off, was duly credited to J. Fonseca.

Fonseca scored a second and third goal within the last few minutes of the game. B. T. Gosano played a very good game at centre-forward, W. A. Reed another good game at pivot and E. L. Gosano another in the defence.

Except for Dove, Signals put up only a mediocre show, but played a very keen game and would have deserved a draw. The losers were particularly weak in attack.

The teams:—

RECREIO:—M. Mendonca; E. L. Gosano, A. Basto; P. Yvanovich, W. A. Reed and A. M. Alves; J. Soares, L. Luz, E. T. Gosano, J. Fonseca and A. V. Gosano.

SIGNALS:—Dove; Sayers, Harrington; Rumford, Gorman, and Halstead; Dignan, Price, Holland, Coombe and Cogbill.

Major Softball Upset: Recreio Aces Lose For First Time In 2 Years

Despite the rain-soaked grounds, yesterday's Softball programme was the best that has yet been seen this season. Games were generally closely contested and the major upset was provided by the HONGKONG BASEBALLERS who in noosing out the RECREIO ACES inflicted defeat on the present champions for the first time in two years.

The Baseballers fielded two new testaments committing between them 23 errors for which the state of ground was largely to blame. The results were as follows:—

Ladies' League
R. H. E.
Wildcats 10 10 5
Baby Panthers 7 5 3
Wahoos 28 22 11
Recreio 20 12 12
Canadian Chinese 10 7 2
Chung Hwa 5 9 8

Men's 1st Div.
H. K. B. C. 5 7 4
Recreio Aces 4 7 3
Cyclones 10 13 5
Indians 8 10 7
Chinese B. C. 11 13 4
Filipino Club 5 6 4

Men's 2nd Div.
Cosmopolitan 9, Liga 5; Chung Hwa 15, R. A. F. 5; Recreio "B" 20, Royal Scots 4.

ENGLAND WINS INTERNATIONAL BOWLS FINAL

England beat India by 25-13 in the final of the Gutierrez International Lawn Bowls Shield played at Kowloon Football Club yesterday.

G. Perkins, M. N. Rakusen, G. H. Sheriff and A. J. Hall (England) beat A. H. Rumjahn, A. M. Rum-lawn bowls matches for the China (India) 25-13.

VOLUNTEER TOURNEY

The following were the results of the H. K. V. D. C. Inter-Unit lawn bowls matches for the China Mail Cup played yesterday:—

P. E. Baskett, W. Hyde, J. G. Meyer and E. Kern (A. S. C.) beat D. C. S. Alves, A. A. Remedios, L. J. Silva and C. G. Silva (No. 5 Coy.) 14-13.

J. Luz, H. Alves, J. Ribeiro and F. Ribeiro (6th Battery "A") beat R. S. Capell, M. A. Wahab, A. M. Wahab and W. L. Walker (3rd Battery) 26-12.

Morrison, Carr, Bickford and Watson (1st Battery "A") beat Lockhart, Stone, Clemon and L. Jack (1st Battery "B") 25-20.

HOME SOCCER RESULTS

LONDON, Nov. 3 (Reuter).—The following are the results of League football matches played yesterday:—

NORTH (REGIONAL)

Barnsley 3, Leeds 0.
Bradford City 8, York 2.
Bury 2, Everton 1.
Chesterfield 5, Newcastle 1.
Crewe 3, Southport 3.
Doncaster 0, Manchester C. 4.
Halifax 1, Blackburn 1.
Huddersfield 3, Sheffield U. 0.
Lincoln 1, Hull 1.
Liverpool 5, Stockport 0.
Manchester U. 4, Burnley 1.
Oldham 2, Preston 6.
Rochdale 1, Bradford 1.
Sheffield W. 6, Middlesbrough 3.
Tranmere 2, Chester 4.
Wrexham 4, New Brighton 2.

SOUTH (REGIONAL)

Aldershot 5, Brighton 1.
Arsenal 2, Charlton 2.
Birmingham 1, Leicester 2.
Bournemouth 3, Crystal Palace 2.
Brentford 3, Portsmouth 1.
Bristol City 4, Swansea 1.
Chelsea 2, Millwall 2.
Clapton Orient 0, Queen's P. R. 3.
Coventry 1, Northampton 2.
Luton 1, Tottenham 1.
Reading 5, Notts Forest 0.
Walsall 1, Mansfield 3.
West Brom. 2, Notts C. 3.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Albion 1, Dumbarton 0.
Clyde 2, Morton 1.
Falkirk 1, Airdrieonians 1.
Hamilton 6, Hearts 2.
Hibernian 3, Motherwell 3.
Partick 1, Celtic 1.
Queen's P. R. 0, Rangers 5.

FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, MONDAY, 4th NOVEMBER, 1940, 9.30 A.M.

Parcel post service to Canton is temporarily suspended.

The Imperial Airways Service between Hongkong and Bangkok is temporarily suspended. Air mail correspondence will be accepted at the existing rates of postage and will be forwarded by the first opportunity by steamer to Singapore to connect with the east and west bound air services.

An air mail service providing a connection with British Overseas Airways at Rangoon will be available during the period of suspension of the Hongkong-Bangkok Service. The postage rates for all destinations will be \$1.50 per 1 oz. for letters and \$0.75 each for postcards. Mail for this service should be superscribed "Via Rangoon" and bear the usual blue air mail label.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

INWARD MAILS

From	Due
London and Straits	5th Nov.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 31st October	6th Nov.
London and Straits	8th Nov.
Australia and Manila	7th Nov.
London and Straits	8th Nov.
Australia and Manila	8th Nov.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan, and Shanghai — (San Francisco date 19th October)	9th Nov.
Sandakan	10th Nov.
Calcutta and Straits	18th Nov.
Sandakan	19th Nov.
London and Straits	19th Nov.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan, and Shanghai — (Vancouver B. C., date, 1st November)	19th Nov.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Manila (San Francisco date, 25th October)	20th Nov.

OUTWARD MAILS

Registered and Parcel Mail are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. When mails are advertised to close after 5 p.m., Registered and Parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m.

For	Date and Time
MONDAY	Mon. 4th
Air Mail by sea to Singapore to connect with the "British Overseas Airways"	Reg. 1.00 PM Ord. 1.30 PM
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mombasa, Beira, Lourenco-Marques, East and South Africa. Via Durban	2.30 PM
Manila, Batavia, and Mauritius	3.30 PM
Rangoon and Calcutta	7.00 PM
TUESDAY	Tue. 5th
Formosa	1.30 PM
WEDNESDAY	Wed. 6th
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Services"	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
THURSDAY	Thu. 7th
Manila, Batavia and Sourabaya	8.30 AM
FRIDAY	Fri. 8th
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Air Mail by Sea to Singapore to connect with the "British Overseas Airways"	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 6.00 PM
SATURDAY	Sat. 9th
Straits and Calcutta	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
SUNDAY	Sun. 10th
Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the "British Overseas Airways"	Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 4.30 PM
MONDAY	Mon. 11th
Air Mail by Sea to Singapore to connect with the "British Overseas Airways"	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
TUESDAY	Tue. 12th
Manila, Macassar and Sourabaya	8.30 AM
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa and United Kingdom	Reg. 14th 5.00 PM Ord. 16th 8.30 AM
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Reg. 15th 8.45 AM Ord. 16th 9.30 AM
WEDNESDAY	Wed. 13th
Shanghai, Japan and Honolulu	Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
U.S.A., Canada, Central and South America and United Kingdom via San Francisco, (No Parcels for Canada and United Kingdom)	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Note:—All Mails for United Kingdom will be forwarded with or without superscription	
THURSDAY	Thu. 14th
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
FRIDAY	Fri. 15th
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Reg. 16th 8.45 AM Ord. 17th 9.30 AM
SATURDAY	Sat. 16th
Shanghai, Japan and Honolulu	Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
U.S.A., Canada, Central and South America and United Kingdom via San Francisco, (No Parcels for Canada and United Kingdom)	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
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SUNDAY	Sun. 17th
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
MONDAY	Mon. 18th
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Reg. 19th 8.45 AM Ord. 20th 9.30 AM

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